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**From:** "Annie Temple" [REDACTED]  
**To:** "Abbi Schutte" <aschutte@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Anne Carlson" [REDACTED]; "Barb Allen" <ballen@johnston.k12.ia.us>; [REDACTED]; "Judy Anderson" [REDACTED]; "Kay Oberender" [REDACTED]; "Neil and Kathryn Mandsager" [REDACTED]; "Robyn Mills" [REDACTED]; "Carrie Thrall" [REDACTED]; "Char Kimball" [REDACTED]; "Doug-Cathy Engstrom" [REDACTED]; "Dreibelbeis Family" [REDACTED]; "Heather Kleis" [REDACTED]; "Jobi Lawrence" [REDACTED]; "Mary Ellen giusto" [REDACTED]; "Jen Jenkins" [REDACTED]; "Cheryl Vukelich" [REDACTED]; "Michelle Van Vark" [REDACTED]; "Val Nichols" [REDACTED]; "Anita Tom Kac" [REDACTED]; "Kelly Maxcy" [REDACTED]; "Steve Nicholls" [REDACTED]; "Rhonda Elming" [REDACTED]; "MIKE PAM WILSON" [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Sunday, August 14, 2011 3:03 PM  
**Attach:** ATT00010.htm  
**Subject:** Jill Morrill for school board info  
<http://jillmorrill.wordpress.com/>

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**From:** "Maurine Bjornson" <mbjornson@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** <Michael.S.Farrell@wellsfargo.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 15, 2011 7:14 AM  
**Attach:** ATT00010.htm  
**Subject:** Re: Signs

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Maurine Bjornson

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**From:** <Michael.S.Farrell@wellsfargo.com>  
**To:** <mbjornson@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 15, 2011 7:35 AM  
**Subject:** Re: Signs

It turns out I had about 20 taken from various yards after 11pm Friday night. I filed a complaint w/ Johnston PD Saturday. Officer came out and I wasn't shy to tell him who I suspected.

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**To:** <Michael.S.Farrell@wellsfargo.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 15, 2011 3:33 PM  
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**Subject:** Re: Signs

Thanks for the signs. I will get them up and out by this weekend. Sam did great today!  
Very glad to have him in class.

On 8/15/11 11:20 AM, "Michael.S.Farrell@wellsfargo.com"  
<Michael.S.Farrell@wellsfargo.com> wrote:

Steve,

I dropped some signs off this morning and set them on your front porch. Thanks again for all of your help! How's Sam doing? He was cool as a cucumber until this morning and then started to panic at breakfast trying to figure out the A/B switch classes. I told him to relax and that you guys would make sure he knew where he was supposed to be and when. I hope your first day back went great!

Mike

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**From:** "Gorsche, Jim" <jim.gorsche@pioneer.com>  
**To:** "Clay Guthmiller" <cguthmiller@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 18, 2011 6:44 AM  
**Subject:** RE: around town.

Clay I didn't think that sounded right. And this is good enough for me. I have not discussed it further with anyone, and for me I am not interested in getting to the bottom of it. (the around town was poor choice subject on my part). I would have been happy to meet, and appreciate the offer, but I did not anticipate there would be a need and still believe that to be the case.

Thanks for your response.

Jim.

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Clay Guthmiller [mailto:cguthmiller@johnston.k12.ia.us]  
**Sent:** Saturday, August 13, 2011 11:54 AM  
**To:** Gorsche, Jim  
**Subject:** RE: around town.

Jim,

I am out of the state at the current time and have read your e-mail. I am disappointed in the "around town" subject line if that is indeed the case. Whoever your source is, he/she is misinformed and this needs to be corrected. You do not have to explain anything to me Jim about your candidacy - I know your interests are about what is best for our students, our organization and the community.

I am requesting a meeting with you ASAP on Monday. Please contact - I will be at work by 7:00 AM

Thanks,

Clay

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**From:** Gorsche, Jim [jim.gorsche@pioneer.com]  
**Sent:** Friday, August 12, 2011 4:25 PM  
**To:** Clay Guthmiller  
**Subject:** around town.

Clay, it has been relayed to me that you are describing my run (and Lisa's) as only to get two high schools. I presume this is not true; but the source concerned me. I have always been very empathetic with the tough job you have; and I believe you handle it with grace. Just the other night when they were talking about outsourcing the drawing of lines for new elementary, I thought that was a mistake and said so to two of the board members, in part because I thought the administration did a nice job handling the last go around from a communication and planning standpoint, and that deliberate touch and responsiveness that you won't get from a contractor, is what this community needs. The point is, I don't bring animosity, bitterness, parochialism or steadfast subjectivity to any issue. However, if I had not been steadfast on engaging the

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community on this issue, we would still be building a dome over two old buildings instead of generating excitement of what we could be.

I am sure I will not disabuse others of this notion, but my motivations were well thought out and under no circumstances would I delude myself into considering that it would be worth investing my time running for this single issue. I was offended when I have heard Jill suggest so (not to offend - I have skin like a rhino); but somewhat disappointed if you think so. The animosity and parochialism of the current board (a problem that is shared among them) has contributed seriously to the moral of this community, and the teachers!!! It is a serious distraction.

There is a dearth of leadership. For folks that will listen, that is amongst the reasons motivating me to run!

Again, I don't presume its true, but found the possibility disconcerting enough to say so.

With warm regards, Jim.

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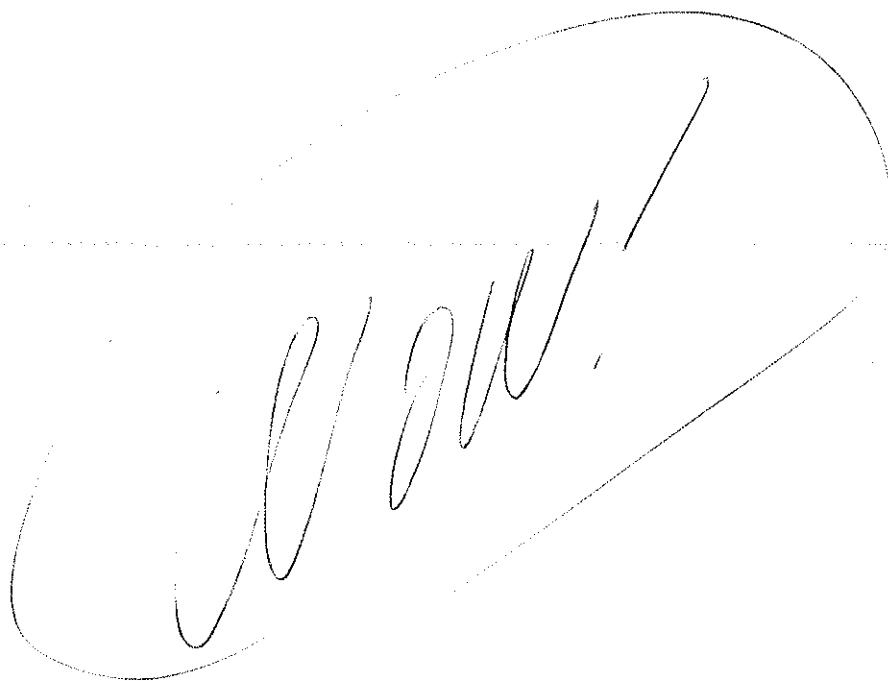
**From:** "Maribeth Miller" <mmiller@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Jill Morrill" <jill.morrill@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 18, 2011 7:29 AM  
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Thanks,  
Maribeth

A large, stylized handwritten signature, likely belonging to Jill Morrill, is written in black ink. The signature is enclosed within a large, hand-drawn oval. The signature itself is cursive and appears to read 'Jill Morrill'.

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From: "Kristin Farrell" <Kristin.Farrell@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
To: "Barb Allen" <ballen@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
Sent: Thursday, August 18, 2011 9:46 AM  
Attach: ATT00010.htm  
Subject: RE: nebulizer

Oh yes, we have been crazy. Last Friday night we had a bunch stolen all over Johnston. It has been very frustrating. Mike has been hesitant to even put any out. I don't think it is high school kids because it was many different neighborhoods.

I will put one in tonight.

Thanks for support.

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From: Barb Allen  
Sent: Thursday, August 18, 2011 9:38 AM  
To: Kristin Farrell  
Subject: RE: nebulizer

Kristin,  
Do you want me to put one of Mike's signs in our yard?

Barb Allen RN, BSN, NCSN  
Summit Middle School  
515-986-0931  
ballen@johnston.k12.ia.us<mailto:ballen@johnston.k12.ia.us>

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"When you're a nurse, you know that every day you will touch a life or a life will touch yours" -- Anonymous

From: Kristin Farrell  
Sent: Wednesday, August 17, 2011 3:17 PM  
To: Tracy Grasso; Keri Meyer; Kristin Wendl; Vonnie Zenti; Susan Krebs; Barb Allen  
Subject: RE: nebulizer

I have one too; do we have a family who might need one? I wonder if Kay or Angela knows of anyone who might need one.

Kristin

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From: Tracy Grasso  
Sent: Wednesday, August 17, 2011 3:13 PM  
To: Keri Meyer; Kristin Farrell; Kristin Wendl; Vonnie Zenti; Susan Krebs; Barb Allen  
Subject: RE: nebulizer

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Mine is in pretty good shape, so I have no need. (Nice donation though!) :)

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From: Keri Meyer  
Sent: Wednesday, August 17, 2011 2:51 PM  
To: Kristin Farrell; Kristin Wendl; Vonnice Zenti; Susan Krebs; Barb Allen; Tracy Grasso  
Subject: nebulizer

Hi guys,

I had a Horizon mom who wants to donate a nebulizer (almost new, used briefly by her mother). I already have a nebulizer that the PTO bought for me, so I wanted to see if any other school needs one? If not, would I direct the mom to the Lion's Club to see if they can take it?

Hope everyone is surviving the week!!! :)  
Keri

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**From:** "Kristin Farrell" <Kristin.Farrell@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** <Michael.S.Farrell@wellsfargo.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 18, 2011 12:51 PM  
**Attach:** ATT00010.htm  
**Subject:** RE:

Great - did you put it close to road so people could see it.

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**From:** Michael.S.Farrell@wellsfargo.com [mailto:Michael.S.Farrell@wellsfargo.com]  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 18, 2011 12:50 PM  
**To:** Kristin Farrell  
**Subject:** RE:

I'll try to call them later. On a conference call until about 3:30. I put a sign in Barb's yard this morning.

Mike

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**From:** Kristin Farrell [mailto:Kristin.Farrell@johnston.k12.ia.us]  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 18, 2011 12:40 PM  
**To:** Farrell, Michael S.  
**Subject:**

Can you call Dentist to see if we can get Clare in? I was wondering before school, but not on a Tues/Thurs...she needs to get in this month.

986-4001- not sure of your schedule so thought maybe you could call.

Barb Allen was also wondering about a sign. I can run one up to her house tonight,

remind me.

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**From:** "DON DEB HENRY" <henrydndia@msn.com>  
**To:** "Sarah Wessling" <swessling@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 19, 2011 7:08 AM  
**Attach:** ATT00010.htm  
**Subject:** RE: Hope you can help me

That would be great. My cell number is [REDACTED] I think I should be done with my crown by then. My appointment at the dentist is at 8:50. I'll send you a message if I'm running late. Thanks so much!

> From: swessling@johnston.k12.ia.us  
 > To: henrydndia@msn.com  
 > Subject: RE: Hope you can help me  
 > Date: Fri, 19 Aug 2011 10:03:15 +0000

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 > From: DON DEB HENRY [henrydndia@msn.com]  
 > Sent: Thursday, August 18, 2011 9:22 PM  
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**From:** "Deb Henry" <henrydndia@msn.com>  
**To:** "Sarah Wessling" <swessling@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 19, 2011 10:53 AM  
**Subject:** Re: Hope you can help me  
11:15 should work. I have to be back at the dentist by 11:45.

Sent from my iPhone...

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If you sent to Carson that is just fine. I don't need them. Thanks for the website and I'll see you tomorrow at the forum.  
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**From:** "Mike Farrell" <mike.farrell@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Tracey Orman" <tracey.orman@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Saturday, August 20, 2011 7:10 AM  
**Attach:** ATT00010.htm  
**Subject:** Yard Signs  
Tracey,

Just a heads up that my area was hit last night by whom ever thinks it's funny to pull yard signs. Right out of my own front yard even. Anyway, the two you had at the corner of Lyndhurst at the top of the hill at BeaverCreek are both gone. It looked like you still had them in place up and down 86th street though. I've just finished dropping a few of mine in at the 7 that were taken last night so I'm now down 27+.since last Friday night. Frustrating!

Mike

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From: "Christy Willis" <cwillis@johnston.k12.ia.us>

To: [REDACTED]

Sent: Monday, August 22, 2011 10:32 AM

Subject: Re: School Board signs

I can tell you when I get home. Not going to email that.

On 8/22/11 10:12 AM, [REDACTED]  
wrote:

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> Josh W. Willis

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: [REDACTED]

> Sent: Monday, August 22, 2011 9:40 AM

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To: [REDACTED]  
Sent: Monday, August 22, 2011 10:33 AM  
Subject: Re: School Board signs  
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wrote:

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From: "Mark Toeppen" <[REDACTED]>  
To: "Jill Morrill" <jill.morrill@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
Sent: Monday, August 22, 2011 12:13 PM  
Subject: RE: Yard Signs for election  
Thank you!

-----Original Message-----

From: Jill Morrill [mailto:jill.morrill@johnston.k12.ia.us]  
Sent: Monday, August 22, 2011 11:58 AM  
To: Mark Toeppen  
Subject: RE: Yard Signs for election

Hi Mark-

I would be happy to drop off two signs to your home.

Thank you.

Jill

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From: Mark Toeppen [REDACTED]  
Sent: Monday, August 22, 2011 11:06 AM  
To: Jill Morrill  
Subject: Yard Signs for election

Hi Jill,

How would we get two (2) of your yard signs (one for us and one for our neighbor)? We live at [REDACTED] Ceres Circle in Johnston.

Thanks!  
Mark Toeppen

Mark Toeppen  
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[REDACTED]

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**From:** <Michael.S.Farrell@wellsfargo.com>  
**To:** <Kristin.Farrell@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 9:17 AM  
**Attach:** ATT00010.htm; Michael Farrell.vcf  
**Subject:** Health Care

Wells Fargo is having a major shift in our health care plan coming up. Coventry is not going to be an option at all. It's going to cost more out of our pocket one way or the other. Once I know what the cost structure will look like, we need to look to see what it would cost to add the kids to your plan compared to keeping them on mine.

Mike

Michael S. Farrell  
Vice President, Principal Business Relationship Manager  
Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.  
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Ankeny, Iowa 50021-2058  
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**From:** "Mary Moermond" <mmoermond@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 23, 2011 7:25 AM  
**Subject:** FW: French III

From a parent, whose husband is running for the school board. This is the 3rd of their children that I've had in class. Chris, mentioned in the last paragraph, was my AP student this year and a freshman at Iowa.

What a great way to start my day!

P.S. I wish Tammy weren't so negative. EVERY class/student has some good qualities!

**From:** Mary Ellen Dockum [goherky@msn.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 5:04 PM  
**To:** Mary Moermond  
**Subject:** French III

Hi-

I'm sorry we were tardy Thursday night then had to scurry off afterwards!

First, I wanted to let know that when you said that the students seemed well-prepared for French III, you may have noticed several parents' jaws dropping in shock. Two years ago, in 8th grade, the students and parents were told frequently how naughty and disrespectful they were. Last year the message was that they were very ill-prepared for French II due to their problems in French I and that they would never catch up. I know the students appreciate and respond better to positive messages, and are already happier with French than they'd been in the past 2 years. Well done! (I'm basing this on Abby and her friends' comments.)

Secondly, I did receive word that you would be happy to have an addition to your yard and that should be coming in the next week. Many have been disappearing, but more so in Johnston than Urbandale.

Finally, I thought you would appreciate this - At the Freshman Welcome activities at Iowa, officials were conducting a 3 day Twitter contest for the best Tweets that would summarize the experience. Naturally Chris jumped in and soon had the staff and a number of fellow students as followers. Yesterday afternoon at the closing ceremony with the 4,500 UI freshman, President Sally Mason presented Chris with an iPad2 as his prize. Already making his mark!

Thanks-  
Mary Ellen

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**From:** "Joan Sparland" <jsparland@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Mary Ellen Dockum" <goherky@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 23, 2011 10:11 PM  
**Subject:** Re: Encore Cards ETA?

I am hoping I can count on you Sunday to help sign out, log in and count money..I have the cards, just don't have the letter quite done and ready to copy (which I will do at school sometime this week).

I will give you an update tomorrow night where I am on it--i just recovered from the first band tailgate and catching my breath for Sunday VPA kickoff and then another tailgate--whew!!

How is the campaigning going? I know there are emails being sent in mass by the other coalition--I would be happy to send a Greg bio and urge to vote email--do you have one prepared or can I pull from the website?

Let me know--I will be in touch!

Joan

Sent from my U.S. Cellular BlackBerry® smartphone

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**From:** Mary Ellen Dockum <goherky@msn.com>  
**Date:** Tue, 23 Aug 2011 15:55:38 -0500  
**To:** jsparland <jsparland@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Subject:** Encore Cards ETA?

Hi Joan-

Don't forget to include me on the counting, bagging, labeling, logging, and heavens-knows-whatever-else-you-do process for the Encore cards!

Mary Ellen  
278-1705 home  
[REDACTED]



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**From:** "Mike Farrell" <mike.farrell@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Mark Toeppen" [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 23, 2011 6:13 AM  
**Subject:** RE: Yard Sign

Mark,

Let me start by thanking you for your support. It is very much appreciated! I'd also like to thank you for taking the time out of your day on Saturday to attend the forum. It's important that we have the tools available to make informed decisions on the direction and shape that our district will take.

As far as yard signs, I unfortunately was targeted a week ago Friday and was the victim of having approximately 20 of my signs taken from yards around town. While I've replaced the ones taken, that act has totally wiped me out of yard signs.

I'm asking people to help spread the word to friends and neighbors to make sure they mark their calendars to get out on vote on Tuesday September 13th. For those that may travel, please have them contact me and we'll make sure we get them the information necessary to obtain an absentee ballot.

Thank you again for your support!

Mike Farrell

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**From:** Mark Toeppen [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 11:05 AM  
**To:** Mike Farrell  
**Subject:** Yard Sign


Hi Mike,

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Thanks!  
Mark Toeppen

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**To:** "Joan Sparland" <jsparland@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 24, 2011 7:33 AM  
**Subject:** Re: Encore Cards ETA?

Hi Joan-

I'll plan on Sunday evening for Encore card tasks! Plus if you need help before then, that'll work too!

I talked briefly to Randy and Sam - sounds like the Tailgate went well! (Abby had a conflict and wasn't even there Friday night.) I'm glad you were able to use the baseball field. Kudos to you to get the other Drum Major families involved! Last year it year just awkward. Or maybe that was me...

We figured the other candidates would have to be getting in gear sometime. If you happen to receive one of their emails, please forward it on - I'm just curious. I'll get something put together and get it to you later today or tomorrow. Feel free to edit.

See you soon-  
 Mary Ellen

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**From:** "Joan Sparland" <jsparland@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Eric Toot" <etoot@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 24, 2011 2:34 PM  
**Subject:** FW: Dockum for School Board on Sept. 13  
What do you think of this?

**From:** Greg Dockum [mailto:gregdockum@msn.com]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 24, 2011 2:20 PM  
**To:** Joan Sparland  
**Subject:** Dockum for School Board on Sept. 13

Greetings-

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I believe we need a new attitude on our school board and I am ready to serve in a positive, professional manner that will make our community proud. We have great schools, excellent administrators and outstanding teachers who are doing amazing work with our students every day. As a board member, I would be an advocate for our district and help trumpet the exceptional work that is occurring in all of our schools.

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Thank you!  
Greg Dockum

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**To:** "jsparland" <jsparland@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 10:22 PM  
**Subject:** Kick-Off and another Question

Hi Joan-

I'll be briefly fulfilling my duties as Synergy Rep on Sunday, but Greg can help check out Encore Cards at 4:00. We both can help check-in the cards starting at 5:45 and do whatever you desire in between! Are you getting many volunteers for the desserts and supplies? I'm doing at Synergy dinner Saturday night (at the Wiley's) so I hope to survive that, but will whip up something if you still need items!

My second thing is that Greg ran out of time tonight to call you (without being rudely late). There will be a letter to the editor in the Friday Register from Jackie Heiser endorsing Jim Goersche, Tracey Orman and Lisa Larson. There are some parents putting together another letter of support for the other four - Greg, Deb Henry, Mike Farrell and Jill Morrill. Are there any active and vocal Beaver Creek parents you can think of that might be willing to add their name? If so let me know.

Thanks!

Mary Ellen

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**To:** "Becky Heikes" <heikesb@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 7:17 PM  
**Subject:** Fwd: I could use your help

----- Forwarded Message -----

**From:** "Deb Henry" <henrydndia@msn.com>  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 5:22:14 PM  
**Subject:** I could use your help

Becky

I'm not sure if you saw the letter Jackie Heiser put in the paper supporting Tracy, Jim and Lisa. We want to come back with a parent letter signed by multiple sets of parents supporting Jill, Mike, Greg and me. I'm not saying you have to support all 4. I'm just hoping you can help me find some parents who do support the 4 of us. We want as many parents with elementary age kids as we can find to counter the complaint from Jackie's letter that our kids are all older. I guess it doesn't matter that our kids were little and we've lived through that and more.

Any help you can give us would be great. There really is a difference between the two groups.

Thank you so much!

Deb

Sent from my iPhone...

Deb

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**From:** "Jill Morrill" <jill.morrill@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Carson Hattel" <carson@johnstoneducationassociation.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 3:51 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Email from C. Hattel and B. Hurst- JEA  
Carson and Brad,

Thank you for this information. Mrs. Heiser forwarded me the questions that were asked from the audience at the candidate forum with the request to forward them on to the other candidates and board members no later than Monday.

I didn't know if you had received these answers. If not, I would be happy to forward them to you if you think that they would be of interest to your members.


Regards,  
Jill Morrill

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**From:** Carson Hattel [carson@johnstoneducationassociation.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 10:25 PM  
**To:** Carson Hattel; Brad Hurst  
**Subject:** Email from C. Hattel and B. Hurst- JEA

We are sending this to you for your information. If there is any way that JEA may be of help, please let us know. Thanks for all that you do for our community.

Carson Hattel and Brad Hurst  
JEA Co-Presidents

  
Johnston Education Association  
P.O. Box 10  
5608 Merle Hay Road  
Johnston, Iowa 50131

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**From:** <bullseyenews@aol.com>  
**To:** <jill.morrill@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 8:12 AM  
**Subject:** Re: School board campaign advertising  
Jill,

Pricing is dependent on size of the ad and we would need to get to work on one promptly (the paper prints on Monday). Here are a couple of sizes for reference: 4 1/6" x 3": \$102; 4 1/6" x 5": \$160; 6 1/3" x 3 1/2": \$168; quarter page: \$320. Lots of other sizes/prices.

Let me know what I can be working on for you.

Thanks!

Mary C.

NW Polk County Bull's Eye  
P.O. Box 392, Polk City, IA 50226  
515 984-7984  
bullseyenews@aol.com

-----Original Message-----

From: Jill Morrill <jill.morrill@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
To: bullseyenews <bullseyenews@aol.com>  
Sent: Wed, Aug 24, 2011 7:36 pm  
Subject: RE: School board campaign advertising

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Hi Mary,

Thank you for reminding me.

What are the current prices for ads, and what is the deadline for getting something in before the election?

Jill

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From: bullseyenews@aol.com [bullseyenews@aol.com]

Sent: Wednesday, August 24, 2011 1:43 PM

To: Jill Morrill

Subject: School board campaign advertising

Jill,

I am just checking in with you to see if you are interested in running an ad prior to the upcoming school board election. We have only one issue prior to that time. Please let me know whether or not you want something of that nature and I will get it ready to go.

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Thanks for your time!

Mary Curtis

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P.O. Box 392, Polk City, IA 50226

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**From:** "Missie Linder" <mlinder@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "DON DEB HENRY" <henryndia@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 3:06 PM  
**Subject:** RE: School Board Letter to the Editor

We have a child at Beaver Creek, a child at Summit, and a child at the 8/9 building.

**From:** DON DEB HENRY [mailto:henryndia@msn.com]  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 3:05 PM  
**To:** Missie Linder  
**Subject:** RE: School Board Letter to the Editor

Missie

That's great. What school(s) do you have a child or children in? Thank you so much. I really appreciate it!

Deb Henry

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**From:** mlinder@johnston.k12.ia.us  
**To:** henryndia@msn.com  
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**To:** "Shaun Grindall" <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 8:28 AM  
**Attach:** ATT04409.txt  
**Subject:** Read: FW: Bill Clinton says: "Michelle Bachman has MY vote"  
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Regards,

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Charlie Irwin  
 APTUS Sales Group  
 28 Easton Rd  
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**Frank Anderson**  
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**To:** <GregDockum@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 8:04 AM  
**Subject:** ELECT GREG DOCKUM TO SCHOOL BOARD Sept. 13

Greetings-

The school board election is now less than three weeks away. Every vote matters and it is extremely important that we get as many people as possible to the polls on Tuesday, Sept. 13. Let's make our voices heard loud and clear throughout the district that day!

For those who don't know me, I have lived in the Johnston school district for the past 22 years with my wife, Mary Ellen, and our three children, all of whom attended Johnston schools since kindergarten. Kari graduated in 2008 and is currently a senior at Iowa State, Chris graduated last year and is a freshman at the University of Iowa and Abby is a sophomore at the high school. I am a graduate of Hoover High School and Drake University with a degree in accounting and an MBA, and I am currently vice president at West Bank, responsible for budgeting, financial analysis and long-term strategic planning. I have been actively involved in many school organizations and activities over the years, including serving a three-year term as treasurer of Johnston Dollars for Scholars and most recently volunteering as a member of the committee studying the feasibility of Johnston having two high schools in the future. For more information about me and my campaign, please visit the [Dockum for School Board](#) site or my Facebook page, [Dockum for School Board](#).

I believe we need a new attitude on our school board, and I am ready to serve in a positive, professional manner that will make our community proud. We have great schools, excellent administrators and outstanding teachers who are doing amazing work with our students every day. As a board member, I would be an advocate for our district and help trumpet the exceptional work that is occurring in all of our schools.

While I am extremely proud of the Johnston schools, we must always be striving to improve. There are many pressing issues that need to be resolved, starting with a revised long-term strategic plan and a 10-year facility plan. But I believe the most important challenge facing our district is the need for continued improvement in academic achievement levels for all our students. We need to be innovative in our approaches, open to new methods of instruction and willing to engage all district stakeholders in the process. In short, I am running for the school board because I care about all the children in our district and I want the educational experience they receive in the Johnston Schools to prepare them in exceptional fashion for a bright future.

**Please remember to vote for Greg Dockum on Tuesday, Sept. 13 and encourage all of your friends and neighbors to do the same. I would greatly appreciate your support on that day.**

Thank you!  
Greg Dockum

Feel free to forward this e-mail to any and all people who have an interest in the Johnston School District.

Paid for by Dockum for School Board

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**From:** "Greg Dockum" <gregdockum@msn.com>  
**To:** "Missie Linder" <mlinder@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 11:51 PM  
**Subject:** Re: yard sign

Hi Missie and Steve - Thank you for your kind e-mail and your offer of support for my campaign. We will bring a sign out to you sometime this weekend. You probably don't have to bring it in every night, but since it seems that Friday and Saturday have been the most popular nights for the signs to disappear you might protect it on those nights for the next couple of weeks. I'll stop in and say hello if you are home when we deliver the sign.

Thanks again, and have a great weekend!

Greg

----- Original Message -----

**From:** Missie Linder  
**To:** 'gregdockum@msn.com'  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 12:22 PM  
**Subject:** yard sign

I am both a teacher and parent in Johnston. I watched the forum and your replies to JEA questions. My husband and I would like to support you for school board. We live on a corner lot and would be willing to put a sign in our yard. Knowing they have been stolen we'd bring them in during the evenings to help protect them.

Let us know if you have extras.

Thanks and good luck!

Missie and Steve Linder

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**From:** "Jodi Buchan" <jbuchan@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Kristin Farrell" <Kristin.Farrell@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 8:56 AM  
**Subject:** Re:  
SO MAD!!!!!! I wonder who wrote it for her!

On 8/26/11 8:54 AM, "Kristin Farrell" <[Kristin.Farrell@johnston.k12.ia.us](mailto:Kristin.Farrell@johnston.k12.ia.us)> wrote:

Check your phone.



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**From:** "Jessica Heidbreder" <jheidbreder@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Dockum" <goherky@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 3:12 PM  
**Subject:** Re: Check

Thanks so much for the lawn ornamentation — and the FREE installation:)! We will put it inside tonight!

:)Jess

On 8/24/11 2:48 PM, "Dockum" <goherky@msn.com> wrote:

Hi-

I'll get that in the mail to Lindsay. I grew up in Chicago, near Loyola University, which we were told was far superior to DePaul. :)

Thanks,  
Mary Ellen

PS We'll be dropping something off for your front lawn soon. You may consider moving it into your garage each Friday afternoon and "replanting" it on Sunday - weekends seem to be prime time for disappearances!

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**From:** Jessica Heidbreder <<mailto:jheidbreder@johnston.k12.ia.us>>

**To:** Dockum <<mailto:goherky@msn.com>>

**Sent:** Wednesday, August 24, 2011 12:33 PM

**Subject:** Check

Hi Mary Ellen,

It was good to see you on Monday night:)! I hope that the year is off to a great start for your family. When it's convenient, could we please send Lindsay Fredrickson a check for \$20 for working with our 9th grade clarinets? She is headed to DePaul on Friday; her snail mail address is:

Lindsay Fredrickson  
[REDACTED] West Barry Avenue Apt. 1E  
Chicago, IL 60657

Thanks! Go team Dockum!  
Jess



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**From:** "Joan Sparland" <[jsparland@johnston.k12.ia.us](mailto:jsparland@johnston.k12.ia.us)>  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
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**Date:** Fri, 26 Aug 2011 20:46:46 -0500  
**To:** <[jsparland@johnston.k12.ia.us](mailto:jsparland@johnston.k12.ia.us)>  
**Subject:** Editorial

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**To:** "Kerry Loge" <kloge@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 2:20 PM  
**Subject:** FW: I could use your help

----- Forwarded Message

From: <ebbki@q.com>  
Date: Thu, 25 Aug 2011 20:17:29 -0400  
To: Becky Heikes <heikesb@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
Subject: Fwd: I could use your help

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From: "Deb Henry" <henrydndia@msn.com>  
To: [ebbki@q.com](mailto:ebbki@q.com)  
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2011 5:22:14 PM  
Subject: I could use your help

Becky

I'm not sure if you saw the letter Jackie Heiser put in the paper supporting Tracy, Jim and Lisa. We want to come back with a parent letter signed by multiple sets of parents supporting Jill, Mike, Greg and me. I'm not saying you have to support all 4. I'm just hoping you can help me find some parents who do support the 4 of us. We want as many parents with elementary age kids as we can find to counter the complaint from Jackie's letter that our kids are all older. I guess it doesn't matter that our kids were little and we've lived through that and more.

Any help you can give us would be great. There really is a difference between the two groups.

Thank you so much!

Deb

Sent from my iPhone...

Deb

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**From:** "Becky Heikes" <heikesb@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Deb Henry" <henryndia@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 1:14 PM  
**Subject:** Re: Letter

Her address is:

[mlinder@johnston.k12.ia.us](mailto:mlinder@johnston.k12.ia.us)

Eric and I have kids at Horizon and JHS.

:)Becky

On 8/26/11 1:10 PM, "Deb Henry" <henryndia@msn.com> wrote:

> Can you give me her email address? So should I put you and your  
> husband on the list or just you? You have a daughter in high school  
> and one in elementary. Is that correct? What elementary school? We  
> are including the schools the parents have kids in. Thanks so much.

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> Sent from my iPhone...

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> Deb

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> On Aug 26, 2011, at 1:01 PM, Becky Heikes <heikesb@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
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**To:** <mlinder@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 8:33 PM  
**Subject:** RE: School Board Letter to the Editor

Would you be interested in putting up all 4 signs? There are a quite a few Gorsche and Larson signs out that way and the 4 other signs would be a good sight.

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**From:** mlinder@johnston.k12.ia.us  
**To:** henrydndia@msn.com  
**Subject:** RE: School Board Letter to the Editor  
**Date:** Fri, 26 Aug 2011 20:10:22 +0000

 NW 95<sup>th</sup> court

We could pull the signs at night to protect them.

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**From:** DON DEB HENRY [mailto:henrydndia@msn.com]  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 3:09 PM  
**To:** Missie Linder  
**Subject:** RE: School Board Letter to the Editor

Just give me your address and as soon as we put signs out again we'll head your way. Unfortunately, a lot of the ones we put out early were stolen. Thanks so much!

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**From:** mlinder@johnston.k12.ia.us  
**To:** henrydndia@msn.com  
**Subject:** RE: School Board Letter to the Editor  
**Date:** Fri, 26 Aug 2011 20:06:30 +0000

I'd be glad to put a sign in my yard too.

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**From:** DON DEB HENRY [mailto:henrydndia@msn.com]  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 3:05 PM  
**To:** Missie Linder  
**Subject:** RE: School Board Letter to the Editor

Missie

That's great. What school(s) do you have a child or children in? Thank you so much. I really appreciate it!

Deb Henry

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**From:** mlinder@johnston.k12.ia.us  
**To:** henrydndia@msn.com  
**Subject:** RE: School Board Letter to the Editor  
**Date:** Fri, 26 Aug 2011 20:01:58 +0000

Yes, you may add our names.

Missie and Steve Linder

**From:** DON DEB HENRY [mailto:henrydndia@msn.com]

**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 2:31 PM

**To:** Missie Linder

**Subject:** School Board Letter to the Editor

Missie,

Becky Heikes said you might be interested in adding your name to a list of parents who are supporting Mike Ferrell, Jill Morrell, Greg Dockum and me for school board. Here is the text of the letter that will be in the Johnston Register

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If you are interested in having your name included, just let me know. We are trying to include parents' names as well as the school(s) their children attend. Thank you for considering this, but don't feel any pressure. Also, thanks for your support. I do appreciate it.

Deb Henry

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**From:** "Joan Sparland" <jsparland@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Sam Sparland" [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 9:14 PM  
**Subject:** Fw: Editorial  
Sent from my U.S. Cellular BlackBerry® smartphone

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**From:** "Joan Sparland" <jsparland@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Eric Toot" <etoot@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 9:12 PM  
**Subject:** Fw: Editorial

Any problem in supporting this editorial? Should our names not be on it?  
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**To:** "Joan Sparland" <jsparland@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Saturday, August 27, 2011 3:13 PM  
**Subject:** Re: Fw: Editorial

Very well written. Not sure if I will put my name as an administrator but think it is ok for you to add your name. Enjoy the rest of your weekend.  
 Sent from my Verizon Wireless Phone

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**From:** "Shelly Poulson" <[REDACTED]>  
**To:** "Joan Sparland" <[jsparland@johnston.k12.ia.us](mailto:jsparland@johnston.k12.ia.us)>  
**Sent:** Saturday, August 27, 2011 8:00 AM  
**Subject:** Re: Editorial  
Yes of course

Sent from my iPad

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> With respect,

> Joan

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> Sent from my U.S. Cellular BlackBerry® smartphone

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**To:** <jsparland@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 9:38 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Editorial  
Hi Joan. Matt and I would like to be added.

Thanks!

Chris

> From: jsparland@johnston.k12.ia.us  
> [REDACTED]  
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> Subject: Fw: Editorial  
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 To: "Joan Sparland" <jsparland@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
 Sent: Friday, August 26, 2011 11:28 PM  
 Subject: Re: Editorial  
 Add me to the list

The will of God will never take you where the Grace of God will not protect you.

Teresa

From: Joan Sparland <jsparland@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
 To: Chris Stahr [REDACTED] Shelly Poulson [REDACTED] Teresa Caracci [REDACTED] Ann Wiley <awiley@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
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**Sent:** Monday, August 29, 2011 1:09 PM  
**Subject:** Re: Editorial  
Hi Joan,

I do support these 4 candidates, but I can't allow my name to be on an editorial (due to the employee issue).

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**To:** "Lynne Paulsen" <lpaulsen@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 12:14 PM  
Can you send me your home email? Not sure if we have it.

Thanks!

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**From:** "Kristin Farrell" <Kristin.Farrell@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** <Michael.S.Farrell@wellsfargo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 12:13 PM  
**Subject:** RE: faxing now  
You can ask

**From:** Michael.S.Farrell@wellsfargo.com [mailto:Michael.S.Farrell@wellsfargo.com]  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 12:12 PM  
**To:** Kristin Farrell  
**Subject:** RE: faxing now

Culbert?

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Justin: [Justin.Allen@polkcountyiowa.gov](mailto:Justin.Allen@polkcountyiowa.gov)

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**From:** "Kristin Farrell" <Kristin.Farrell@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Alicia Hyde" <ahyde@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Janette Seybert" <jseybert@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 9:16 AM

Please send me your home emails.

Thanks

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**From:** "Alicia Hyde" <ahyde@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Kristin Farrell" <Kristin.Farrell@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 11:40 AM  
**Subject:** Re:  
[REDACTED]

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**To:** <farrell3n2@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 11:40 AM  
**Subject:** FW:

**From:** Alicia Hyde  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 11:41 AM  
**To:** Kristin Farrell  
**Subject:** Re:

[REDACTED]

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**From:** "Janette Seybert" <jseybert@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Kristin Farrell" <Kristin.Farrell@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 11:46 AM  
**Subject:** Re:

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**From:** "Kristin Farrell" <Kristin.Farrell@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** <farrell3n2@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 11:48 AM  
**Subject:** FW:

**From:** Janette Seybert  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 11:47 AM  
**To:** Kristin Farrell  
**Subject:** Re:

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**To:** <Michael.S.Farrell@wellsfargo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 9:08 AM  
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Hackmans  
Amiry  
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Call Tina

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**From:** <Michael.S.Farrell@wellsfargo.com>  
**To:** <Kristin.Farrell@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 9:01 AM  
**Attach:** Michael Farrell.vcf  
**Subject:** RE: faxing now  
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**To:** Farrell, Michael S.  
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**To:** "Missie Linder" <mlinder@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 8:54 AM  
**Subject:** RE: hello

They are all being stolen.....I will talk to you soon!

Thanks

**From:** Missie Linder  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 8:47 AM  
**To:** Kristin Farrell  
**Subject:** RE: hello

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**To:** <Michael.S.Farrell@wellsfargo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 10:38 AM  
**Subject:** RE: faxing now  
Forwarded to barb

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I'll pull the letter up at home when I get home. Can you help to email some of these people to get these back quickly? Also, if you see Sue Golightly, ask her to pull her sign when she gets home and put it back in on Sunday morning sometime. Thanks.

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**To:** "Joan Sparland" <jsparland@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Saturday, August 27, 2011 9:54 AM  
**Subject:** Re: Editorial

Thank you so much. Hey, I just found out the other three sent out mass emails with absentee ballot requests attached. I'm trying to get a copy of what they sent out.

Sent from my iPhone...

Deb

On Aug 27, 2011, at 9:29 AM, Joan Sparland  
 <jsparland@johnston.k12.ia.us> wrote:

> Add:  
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 > Shelly and Jamie Poulson--JHS parents  
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 > Sent from my U.S. Cellular BlackBerry® smartphone  
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 > Date: Fri, 26 Aug 2011 20:46:46 -0500  
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**Subject:**

Hello! I put a sign on your front door. I hope that is okay.

We appreciate the support.

Take care,

Kristin

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**From:** <Mary.Mcgovern@wellsfargo.com>  
**To:** <kmcgovern@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 29, 2011 9:48 AM  
**Subject:** FW: Johnston School Board Election  
 FYI...if this has not gone out would you like your name added or just mine?

HUGS!

**From:** McGovern, Maryjane  
**Sent:** Monday, August 29, 2011 9:48 AM  
**To:** 'Peterson, Eric'  
**Subject:** RE: Johnston School Board Election

Hey Eric, do you know if Mike already submitted this? It says he was doing this Sunday evening. Let me know as I would be happy to add my name if he has not already sent it off.

Thanks!

**From:** Peterson, Eric [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, August 29, 2011 9:26 AM  
**Subject:** FW: Johnston School Board Election

All,

I'm forwarding this on to you, because I feel the next School Board election is an important one. These are the four candidates I will be supporting. I would encourage you to support them as well. A letter will be sent to the Register, and I'm asking that if you support these 4 names, then please allow Mike Farrell to include your name and the school you represent (i.e. where you're kids go to school), as stated in the email below. You can send your reply directly to [farrell3n2@msn.com](mailto:farrell3n2@msn.com).

Whether we agree on who should be elected or not, I would encourage you to get out and vote on September 13<sup>th</sup>. There are major decisions to be made with regards to the direction of our school district, and I feel this group of candidates will not only listen to your input, but make the best decision on what's important for our students, staff, and community. Moving forward, we need a board that will not push personal agendas, but rather listen to the issues and input of our teachers, students, support staff, and parents, and make sound decisions that will help our growing district continue to be the best school district in the state. Again, I feel these four candidates will do just that.

Thank you,  
 Eric Peterson

**From:** Mike FARRELL [<mailto:farrell3n2@msn.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 12:20 PM  
**To:** Mike Farrell  
**Subject:** Johnston School Board Election

Good morning to all.

As you may know, I am finishing my four year term as a member of the Johnston School Board and am on the ballot running for a 2nd term. I clearly stated four years ago that I had no personal agendas to push and I lived up to that



promise. If I have any agenda at all, it would be that a high quality education needs to be made available to all of our kids regardless of their learning abilities or their socio-economic background. No one child is more important than the other and we need to continue to challenge all students to help them maximize their learning potential.

There are seven candidates running for four seats this year. I am supporting Jill Morrill, Deb Henry and Greg Dockum in hope that the four of us are elected on September 13th. I have chosen to support these three candidates based on their values to support all students and their values on education. No hidden personal agenda's, just the desire to help our kids develop the tools they will need to be successful in all aspects of their lives.

Below is a copy of a letter that a group in the community will be submitting to the Des Moines Register and we are looking for your support. If you feel that the four of us named above would be good representation of our district and our children's education, I would appreciate your consideration of allowing me to use your name and what schools you represent as parents. JHS, JMS, SMS, Elementary.

We would like to submit this letter Sunday evening and again I appreciate your support on short notice! If you are ok with your name being included as an attachment to this letter, please just send me a quick email giving me permission. Also, if you know of others that would offer support, please forward this on and just ask them to please respond directly to me at [farrell3n2@msn.com](mailto:farrell3n2@msn.com)

Please encourage your friends and neighbors to vote on Tuesday September 13th!

Thank you!

Mike Farrell

On Tuesday, September 13th, Johnston school district voters will have the opportunity to choose four well-qualified school board members. We, the undersigned Johnston school district parents, know that many important decisions will be made during the four years that these school board members serve. Regardless of whether or not we build a second high school or where we place our sixth elementary school, we need to ensure that the opinions of the parents in our district are heard and considered by whoever is elected to the board.


Our district also needs board members that will continue to facilitate a district environment that attracts and retains high-quality teachers. If we don't, we risk slipping from our ranking as one of the best districts in the state. We cannot settle to simply be "average". As parents, we demand excellence.

The four school board candidates we believe will do the best job in ensuring parent concerns are heard, that our school district continues to attract top teaching talent, and that we as a district don't slip to simply being average are Greg Dockum, Mike Farrell, Deb Henry, and Jill Morrill. Please consider supporting these four candidates and let's have a record turnout on Tuesday, September 13th.

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**From:** "Kristin Farrell" <Kristin.Farrell@johnston.k12.ia.us>

**To:** "Amy Brinker" <abrinker@johnston.k12.ia.us>

**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 11:27 AM

Don't forget to vote!

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**From:** "Kristin Farrell" <Kristin.Farrell@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Kristen Schroeder" <kristen.schroeder@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 12:53 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Voting

The district website tells you where to vote, depending on where you live. It is easy to figure out.

Thanks!!

**From:** Kristen Schroeder  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 12:53 PM  
**To:** Kristin Farrell  
**Subject:** Voting

Where do we vote?

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**From:** "Jessica Heidbreder" <jheidbreder@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Mary Moermond" <mmoermond@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 9:40 AM  
**Subject:** School board candidates

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Thanks!

:)Jessica



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**From:** "Kristen Schroeder" <kristen.schroeder@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Dad" [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 12:58 PM  
**Subject:** VOTE for Johnston SCHOOL BOARD TONIGHT!!!!!!

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Kris

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**From:** "Kristen Schroeder" <kristen.schroeder@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Schroeder Nancy K" [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 1:04 PM  
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**From:** "Schroeder Nancy K" [REDACTED]  
**To:** "Kristen Schroeder" <kristen.schroeder@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 1:38 PM  
**Subject:** RE: VOTE for Johnston SCHOOL BOARD TONIGHT!!!!!!

I did vote, but it was for Deb Henry...sorry I didn't get this soon enough. I will pass the word on to all here...

Love you honey,  
Mamma

Nancy Schroeder  
Dealer Relationship Manager - North & South Dakota  
John Deere Financial  
6400 N.W. 86th Street  
Johnston, IA 50131  
800-828-8297 ext. 73124  
800-624-5454 (fax)  
[schroedernancyk@johndeere.com](mailto:schroedernancyk@johndeere.com)

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**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 12:52 PM  
**Subject:** Voting  
Where do we vote?

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**From:** "Becky Heikes" <heikesb@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "DON DEB HENRY" <henrydndia@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 7:13 AM  
**Subject:** RE: Election Tomorrow  
got it! We can't wait! :)

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From: DON DEB HENRY [henrydndia@msn.com]  
Sent: Monday, September 12, 2011 6:42 PM  
To: Becky Heikes  
Subject: Election Tomorrow

Hi Becky

Tomorrow is the big day. We has been made aware that Jim, Lisa and Tracy are sending out blanket emails, especially to people with elementary school children trying to get those individuals to vote for them. That can be expected. It would be great if you could send out emails to friends of yours saying you are supporting Greg, Jill, Mike and me. Maybe we can get to some of the same people and at least make them think. Thanks you so much for your support throughout this election. It means a lot to me.

Thanks again!

Deb Henry

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**From:** "Deb Henry" <henrydndia@msn.com>  
**To:** "Becky Heikes" <heikesb@johnston.k12.ia.us>; [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 4:21 PM  
**Subject:** Ballots

When did you mail your ballots in? The auditor hasn't registered yours yet. Scott said 49 came in today but we don't know who those belong to.

Sent from my iPhone...

Deb



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**From:** "Matt Hiatt" <mhiatt@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Paul J Pettinger" <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 2:50 PM  
**Subject:** Re: "  
 yes

On 9/13/11 2:41 PM, "Paul J Pettinger" <[REDACTED]> wrote:

ok. It's at the e-free church catty-corner from casey's right?

On Tue, Sep 13, 2011 at 2:32 PM, Matt Hiatt <mhiatt@johnston.k12.ia.us> wrote:

You don't need the card. You just tell them your address.

On 9/13/11 2:07 PM, "Paul J Pettinger" <[REDACTED]> wrote:

:-) I forgot my voter reg card @ home.... do I have to have it? I'd rather just stop by the church on the way home. Can you ask when you go? Thx!

On Tue, Sep 13, 2011 at 1:57 PM, Matt Hiatt <mhiatt@johnston.k12.ia.us> wrote:

It is going well today..... Remember to vote in the elections.  
 Dockum, Morrill, Farrell, and Henry

On 9/13/11 9:48 AM, "Paul J Pettinger" <[REDACTED]> wrote:

....so I got a call from Josh..... apparently something the plumbers installed a couple weeks ago on the drain was cracked, and they have now replaced it.

I'm supposed to run a bunch of water through tonight (while the hole is still in the ceiling) to be sure it doesn't leak, then the drywall guy is coming some time before tuesday to patch. Then glass gets installed tuesday.

I'm about ret for this to be done.

how's your day going?

On Mon, Sep 12, 2011 at 1:18 PM, Paul J Pettinger

<[REDACTED]> wrote:

Ok, thx - I'll just get gas and not go in.

On Mon, Sep 12, 2011 at 1:15 PM, Matt Hiatt <mhiatt@johnston.k12.ia.us> wrote:

I will be heading out to jordan creek this afternoon to look for some shoes and black pants. I get an extra 10% off today at youkers for the new dress code. I plan to stop by at costco to get some fruit.

On 9/12/11 11:20 AM, "Paul J Pettinger" <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Hey - the plumbers are coming today to check out the leak, and there 'may' be a hole in the dining room ceiling when you get home.

I'm gonna be late today..... I've got a late meeting, and I need to stop by costco for gas.  
Do you need me to get anything from costco? I'm gonna do 6:30 kb.

I hope your day is going well,

P's

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**From:** "Mary Moermond" <mmoermond@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Jessica Heidbreder" <jheidbreder@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 10:00 AM  
**Subject:** RE: School board candidates  
Ask Carson. He set it up and should know what to do.

**From:** Jessica Heidbreder  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 9:54 AM  
**To:** Mary Moermond  
**Subject:** Re: School board candidates

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:)Jessica

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**From:** "Brian Town" <btown@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Town, Sarah" [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 10:15 AM  
**Attach:** SLATE Flyer[1].pdf  
**Subject:** FW: remember to vote Tuesday September 13th  
See flyer...these are the four you need to vote for tonight...love you

Gr

**From:** Mark Perington [mailto:[REDACTED]]  
**Sent:** Monday, September 12, 2011 6:04 PM  
**To:** 'Mark Perington'  
**Subject:** remember to vote Tuesday September 13th

I would first like to apologize as I know you have probably been bombarded with email coming into tomorrow's election. Please remember that the polls are open tomorrow, Tuesday September 13th from 7am - 8pm so I ask that you please take a few minutes from your busy day to exercise your right to vote.

While I'm asking for your support in tomorrow's election, I'm also asking you to consider joining me in supporting Jill Morrill, Deb Henry and Greg Dockum. In having an opportunity to hear the opinions of all candidates, I feel that Jill, Deb and Greg truly have the best interest of **all** students at heart and as I do, believe that we need to continue to challenge all students regardless of their abilities. I also believe they will join me in continuing to represent your best interest as tax payers.

Again, I thank you for all of your past support and hope you'll join me tomorrow in voting for Farrell, Morrill, Henry and Dockum. As we found in the last election, every vote counts and we need all of you at the polls tomorrow to ensure that the reputation and excellence of our district continues under the direction of continued professional leadership.

I have attached a flyer with information of the individual candidates as well as polling places. Please feel free to pass this on to your friends and neighbors and encourage them to get out the vote.

Thank you again!

Mike Farrell

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**From:** "Don Hunerdosse" <dhunerdosse@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Jason Wilson" <[REDACTED]> "BRIAN STEPHANIE HAEZEBROECK"  
**Cc:** "Rusty Beazley" <[REDACTED]> "Rick Theisen" <[REDACTED]> "Budland"  
[REDACTED] Nathan Godwin <[REDACTED]> "Aaron Schmidt"  
[REDACTED] "woodsjonathon" <[REDACTED]> "Todd  
Bierle" <[REDACTED]> "Brent.Faber" <[REDACTED]>  
[REDACTED] "Carter" <[REDACTED]>  
[REDACTED] <farrell3n2@msn.com>  
[REDACTED] "stephanie.a.haezebroeck" <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 2:10 PM  
**Subject:** Re: Teams Are Set - Father & Son Fantasy Football  
Good call Wilson!!!!

On 9/13/11 1:09 PM, "Jason Wilson" <[REDACTED]> wrote:

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i have sent several messages like this today and gotten some backlash. i guess people don't understand the term (in my mind). all i stated was who i would vote for and people are coming back with why they wouldn't vote for them. it would be different if i would have said "vote for these guys and here is why you shouldn't vote for these". oh well.

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**From:** "Wendy Quam" <wendy.quam@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Sara Erickson" <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 2:19 PM  
**Subject:** Re: Election  
Hi Sara-

I don't have information readily available but I would be happy to share my opinion with you. :)

In my opinion, Mike Farrell, Jill Morrill, Deb Henry, and Greg Dockum would be the best leaders for our district. A couple of the people on the board are on it to promote their own agendas. I feel that these candidates don't have any personal agendas and are running to make decisions in the best interest of our students and district. The other two candidates that are running (Lisa Larson & Jim Gorsche) have been recruited to run by the members of the board who have agendas. Tracy Orman is our current president and she is also running for reelection. She did a good job but I feel the others will do a better job as I feel she has let some things slide during board meetings that needed to be addressed. Again, this is my own personal opinion but I can tell you that at Horizon, these four candidates have overwhelming consensus among the staff. Thanks for inquiring about my opinion. If you have any other questions, please let me know! Hopefully this information isn't too late!

Thanks!  
Wendy

On 9/13/11 9:04 AM, "Sara Erickson" <[REDACTED]> wrote:

If you have information about the candidates readily available or would like to share your opinion I would be interested to hear it (if you have time today!)  
Sorry, I meant to ask you earlier and forgot about it!  
Thanks,  
Sara

On Tue, Sep 13, 2011 at 8:05 AM, Wendy Quam <[wendy.quam@johnston.k12.ia.us](mailto:wendy.quam@johnston.k12.ia.us)> wrote:

Hello parents-

This is just a friendly reminder that the school board elections are today.  
Please make sure you go and vote today if possible. The poles are already open and are open until 8:00pm!

Have a great day!  
Wendy

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 To: "Randy Meyer" [REDACTED]  
 Sent: Tuesday, September 13, 2011 8:42 AM  
 Subject: Re: Spencer Meyer

Thank you for letting me know...I will be expecting him after lunch.

Thanks!  
 Wendy

On 9/13/11 8:07 AM, "Randy Meyer" [REDACTED] wrote:

> Wendy  
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 > Spencer will be home with me this morning per school nurses suggestion and  
 > plans to be at school after lunch  
 >  
 > Randy  
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 >  
 > Randy Meyer  
 > Vice President Fuels  
 > Kum & Go - We go all out  
 >  
 > 6400 Westown Parkway  
 > West Des Moines, IA 50266  
 > Office 515-457-6105  
 > Fax 515-457-0142  
 > [www.kumandgo.com](http://www.kumandgo.com) ----- Original Message -----  
 > From: Randy Meyer  
 > Sent: Friday, September 02, 2011 03:07 PM  
 > To: 'wendy.quam@johnston.k12.ia.us' <wendy.quam@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
 > Subject: Re: Newsletter  
 >  
 > Thanks Wendy  
 > I will vote your slate  
 >  
 > Randy  
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 > ----- Original Message -----  
 > From: Wendy Quam [mailto:wendy.quam@johnston.k12.ia.us]  
 > Sent: Friday, September 02, 2011 03:05 PM  
 > To: Randy Meyer  
 > Subject: Re: Newsletter  
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 > Hi Randy-  
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 > After reading what you are looking for, I think the candidates that I am  
 > suggesting to you will be exactly what you are looking for as I think most

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> teachers and parents feel the way that you do. In my opinion, Mike Farrell,  
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 > Wendy

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 > On 9/2/11 9:35 AM, "Randy Meyer" [REDACTED] wrote:

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 >> Wendy

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 >> I would be very interested in your opinions on the school board candidates.

>> I  
 >> do not know any of them and other than a short article in the paper on  
 >> occasion, I know little of their positions.

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 >> I am kind of old school myself. I want my kid to work and learn at school.  
 >> Follow the rules, be honest, respect the teachers, staff and other students  
 >> and participate in everything they can that interests them.  
 >> I believe in appropriate consequences for misbehavior, the Pledge of  
 >> Allegiance (including the word God) and although not a religious zealot am  
 >> not  
 >> opposed to my child learning about others beliefs as long as others are  
 >> willing to do the same.

>>  
 >> I believe teachers have one of the toughest jobs on earth and are not fairly  
 >> compensated or appreciated for being responsible for managing this country's  
 >> greatest asset, our children.

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 >> Who should I vote for?

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 >> Randy

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>> From: Wendy Quam [mailto:wendy.quam@johnston.k12.ia.us]

>> Sent: Friday, September 02, 2011 7:58 AM

>> To: Wendy Quam

>> Subject: Newsletter

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>> Hello parents and families!

>>

>> Attached is the newsletter for next week. I hope you all have an enjoyable  
>> and relaxing long weekend! One thing I was unable to fit in the newsletter  
>> was about book orders. Book orders came home today and are due next Friday.  
>> I have included instructions on how to order them online because it is much  
>> easier for me, but if that doesn't work for you, please send them in as  
>> either

>> way is okay with me. The books in the book orders are great books and are  
>> very reasonably priced.

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>> Also, one of the most important school board elections in years is coming up  
>> on Tuesday, September 13. I want to encourage all of you to get out and vote  
>> as it is so important to our school and your child. If you are unsure of who  
>> the candidates are and would like more information about them, please let me  
>> know as I can provide you with some unbiased information. I am also happy to  
>> give my opinion, if interested, as we have some great candidates running for  
>> the board so just call or send me an email if you would like to talk about it  
>> because I would be happy to share it with you. :)

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>> Finally, I just wanted to let you know that our two homeroom moms are Mindy  
>> Hartswigsen and Amy Womacks. They may be calling those of you who signed up  
>> to help out our classroom at various times throughout the year so I just  
>> wanted you to be aware of who they are.

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>> As always, please let me know if you have any questions!

>> Have a great weekend!

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>> Wendy

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**From:** "Randy Meyer" <[REDACTED]>  
**To:** <wendy.quam@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 8:09 AM  
**Subject:** Re: Election

Thanks for the reminder

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**Subject:** Election

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Have a great day!  
Wendy

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**To:** "Wendy Quam" <wendy.quam@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 9:04 AM  
**Subject:** Re: Election

If you have information about the candidates readily available or would like to share your opinion I would be interested to hear it (if you have time today!)

Sorry, I meant to ask you earlier and forgot about it!

Thanks,

Sara

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**To:** <undisclosed-recipients:>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 9:00 AM  
**Attach:** 2011 Letters.pdf; School Board Flyer.pdf  
**Subject:** Johnston School Board Election - TODAY! Please vote!

Hi All,

Just wanted to shoot you a quick note to remind you about our school board election today. Polls are open 7am-8pm and polling places can be found on the attached flyer.

As you may know, our district has faced multiple challenges over the past couple of years due to certain individuals who would rather focus on attacking our teachers and administrators instead of focusing on student achievement and what we have already achieved as a district. Tomorrow's election will prove pivotal in determining the path our district takes in the future as a majority of the board (four seats) are up for election.

The four candidates we are choosing to support this year are Greg Dockum, Mike Farrell, Deb Henry, and Jill Morrill. Mike & Jill are currently on the board and have always had the best interests of **all** students in mind. Greg & Deb have been doing what other candidates haven't, and have been regularly attending board meetings to get a working knowledge of the issues our district faces so that, if elected, they can jump right in and get to work.

We hope you and your family will consider joining us in supporting these four quality candidates and make it out to vote tomorrow. Also attached is a flyer with information on all the candidates and some letters to the editor by district parents, students, and other supporters that explains why they are choosing to support these four candidates this year.

Bob Culbert & Lynne Paulsen





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From: "Buckallew, Brian" [REDACTED]  
To: "Bob Culbert [gmail]" [REDACTED]  
Cc: "Wilson, Jason" [REDACTED] Brad Edmondson [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] McCombs, Todd" [REDACTED]

Sent: Tuesday, September 13, 2011 2:01 PM  
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Well I obviously started something here I shouldn't have. But...I surely could have gone ahead and said why I would NOT vote for the other 3 but won't. I apologize. Go vote and vote for what you know about the candidates from what you have read and researched not on what myself, jerry, brian, or bob have said. Geesh.

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**From:** "Michelle Vaughan" <mvaughan@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Vaughan, Brian" <brian.vaughan@dmps.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 4:09 PM  
**Subject:** Re: Voting

Yes, I'm going to make them eat it! :) I'm taking Syd to the mall tonight after dinner to pick out a shirt for picture day. Just an FYI...

On 9/13/11 4:07 PM, "Vaughan, Brian" <brian.vaughan@dmps.k12.ia.us> wrote:

> I am hoping to be home around five. Chicken for dinner with green bean and  
> mushrooms. Be thinking about what else you would like to have with it. Will  
> the girls eat this?

> Sent from my iPad

> On Sep 13, 2011, at 4:06 PM, "Michelle Vaughan" <mvaughan@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
> wrote:

>> Referring to a student, I'm sure you can guess who! Your familiar with this  
>> kind of kiddo. :)

>> On 9/13/11 4:04 PM, "Vaughan, Brian" <brian.vaughan@dmps.k12.ia.us> wrote:

>>> I was just emailing you! How was your day? Who are you referring to? Vote  
>>> for dockum

>>> Sent from my iPad

>>> On Sep 13, 2011, at 4:04 PM, "Michelle Vaughan"  
>>> <mvaughan@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
>>> wrote:

>>>> Well, I had a new one today! I'll tell you more at home. UGH!

>>>> Who am I voting for again Jill Morrill, Mike Farrell, Deb Henry and.....?  
>>

**From:** "Anne Eckermann" <aeckermann@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Doug Eckermann work" [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 2:10 PM  
**Subject:** Vote please

You vote at the church on 62nd in Johnston. It is catty corner to the case  
 Johnston.

Farrel, Morrill, Dockum

Thanks



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**From:** "Mary Haden" <mhaden@johnston.k12.nh.us>  
**To:** "Haden, Don" [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2011 10:29 AM  
**Subject:** tonight

Don't forget to vote for school board tonight and also let me know who will all be coming to eat.

Morrill  
Farrell  
Dockhum  
Henry

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**From:** "Mary Moermond" <mmoermond@  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** School Board Elections  
ditto from moi

**From:** Brent Riessen  
**Sent:** Monday, September 12, 2011 9:00 AM  
**To:** \*High School  
**Subject:** School Board Elections

Don't forget that tomorrow is School Board election day. Make sure that you get out and vote.

Brent Riessen  
Principal  
Johnston High School  
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**To:** <pvantassel@isea.org>  
**Cc:** "Brad Hurst" <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 2:53 PM  
**Attach:** 082211 JEA Press Release.pdf  
**Subject:** Press Release  
**Peri:**

Please advise on anything for this is a proof. Also, we have an email in to our IT Director ensuring that they are comfortable with phrasing regarding bandwidth. Thanks!

Carson Hattel  
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**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 2:58 PM  
**Subject:** Another Question

When releasing this we are planning on giving to candidates, DSM Register Todd Erzen, school board and JCSD. Anyone else? Should I ask Jean too?

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 To: "Sarah Brown Wessling" <[REDACTED]>  
 Cc: "Brad Hattel" <brad.hattel@johncornell.edu>  
 Sent: Monday, August 22, 2011 2:40 PM  
 Subject: RE: ICA Live Stream of forum


Hi Sarah, I hope you had a good weekend. I will get back to you in a minute.

Best,  
 Carson Hattel  
 Cornell University  
 Ithaca, NY 14853

On 8/22/2011 2:40 PM,  
 "Sarah Brown Wessling" <[REDACTED]>  
 wrote:

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From: Sarah Brown Wessling [mailto:[REDACTED]]  
 Sent: Saturday, August 20, 2011 1:45 PM  
 To: Carson Hattel  
 Subject: Re: ICA Live Stream of forum

Thank you so much for all of your work in bringing these conversations to as many people as possible!  
 Will the transcripts (submitted questions/responses) be available to read?

Thanks,  
 Sarah

On Sat, Aug 20, 2011 at 10:42 AM, Carson Hattel <chattel@johncornell.edu> wrote:  
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Hello Sarah Wessling,

The School Board Forum is live now if you are able to view. It will run until 12:30 pm and then be available for viewing after.

Regards,  
 Carson and Brad

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**To:** "Brad Hurst" <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 6:12 AM  
**Attach:** ATT00010.htm  
**Subject:** JEA Site

You like the "Candidate Forum" tab where it is, we will delete the "School Board" tab under the Home portion. Also, let me know of phrasing. Also, thoughts on sending out email to leadership team asking for opinions on making viewable to public? I can do and will ask that they let us know by 12 pm.

Feel free to call; thanks.

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**Subject:** RE: Feedback  
Looks good to me.

Tony

**From:** Carson Hattel  
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**To:** Carson Hattel; Tony Sparks  
**Cc:** Brad Hurst  
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Sorry Tony, wrong attachment.

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Tony:

Hope all is well. Could you read through the attached press release and let Brad and I know that you are comfortable with how things are phrased. Please advise. Thanks!



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Below is a tentative message to send out with release. Any suggestions on someone else to include?

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 "Stacey Barta" <stacey.barta@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Karma York" <Karma.York@johnston.k12.ia.us>;  
 "Michael Chiston"

<michael.chiston@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 12:05 PM  
**Attach:** ATT00534.htm; JEA.jpg  
**Subject:** Payroll Adjustment on Checks  
Fellow JEA Members,

Some of you also had questions for us regarding the additional few cents each of you received on your paychecks Friday. I emailed Bev Lyons about this and her response is below.

Thanks,

Brad

[cid:206333ae-e134-8790-c256-9a46c52c7042]  
BRAD A. HURST JR.  
JEA Co-President  
Chemistry and Environmental Science Teacher  
Johnston Senior High School  
Johnston, IA

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From: Beverly Lyons  
Sent: Monday, August 22, 2011 7:57 AM  
To: Brad Hurst  
Cc: Carson Hattel  
Subject: RE: Wire Transfer Charges

The 5-15 cent thing on August payroll is the adjustment for the past year's payroll to even things out so they are paid to the penny for their contract. (if someone's contract was \$20,000 divided by 12 mos = \$1666.67/mo.  $1666.67 \times 12 = \$20,000.04$  for the year, so they would see a deduct on the August check of 4 cents.) You can guess my opinion of doing this but.....BTW – this was missed last year so that might be why we are getting a lot of questions on it this time. Our old accounting software automatically adjusted the August payment to correct for this, but IFAS doesn't. Let me know if more questions. thanks!!!

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beverly a lyons  
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board secretary  
515-278-0470 x111

From: Brad Hurst  
Sent: Sunday, August 21, 2011 8:55 AM  
To: Beverly Lyons  
Cc: Carson Hattel  
Subject: Wire Transfer Charges

Bev,

Due to the unique nature of how employee paychecks were processed on Friday, many teachers have been charged a \$20.00 wire transfer fee by their banks over this weekend. Many members were also assessed a sales tax charge by their banks as well in the neighborhood of \$1.50-\$2.00 for this wire transfer.

Many JEA members and I'm sure many non-members as well want to know how the district is planning on refunding this money to employees. Please share this information with JEA and the rest of the staff as soon as it is available.

Also, many teachers had a small 5-15 cent credit on their salaries this month. Can you share the story with that? More than one teacher at the high school asked me if there was some kind of error with that on their pay stubs.

Thanks for all your hard work,

Brad Hurst  
JEA Co-President

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**From:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Dawn Kasotia" <dawn.kasotia@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Nancy Buryanek" <nburyanek@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 12:30 PM  
**Attach:** ATT00893.htm  
**Subject:** Press Release Form

Hope all is well. Do either of you have a press release example that the district uses that JEA could modify? We would like to use and modify for JEA for consistency purposes. Thanks!

Carson Hattel  
Eighth Grade Social Studies Teacher  
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**From:** "Hillary Barta" <hillary.barta@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 1:40 PM  
**Subject:** Re: JEA Website Email

Hi Carson. Thanks for taking my slack with the website. I'm back and ready for business! Do you have a recent copy of members? I tried approving people on the site, but I wanted to verify that those requesting access were actually members. Other than tinker with things, is there anything you would like me to do with the website ASAP? Just let me know!

Hillary

On 8/18/11 6:07 AM, "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us> wrote:

- > Please try to activate your email through the JEA Website (i.e.
- > [carson@johnstoneducationassociation.com](mailto:carson@johnstoneducationassociation.com)). If you need help, please advise.
- > Thanks!
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**From:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Jake Randall" <jrandall@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 1:41 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Payroll Deduction

Exactly. I really feel for her and hope things go well tonight at board meeting and that they are constructive. I hate to see what could happen.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Jake Randall  
Sent: Monday, August 22, 2011 1:31 PM  
To: Carson Hattel  
Subject: Re: Payroll Deduction

Just want to say that I am really glad that our dues are not coming out until next month.....verification process may have been a little edgy with everything else that is going on. Kind of crazy ..... Just checked my account and still not there .... Bev was going to look into it though so that is really great that she is so on top of it.

Gotta love technology!!

On 8/16/11 6:08 AM, "Carson Hattel" <[chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us](mailto:chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us)> wrote:

> Jake:

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> As we were saying yesterday and that I am confirming now, payroll deductions  
> will start in September and go through August for this school year. Changes



- > in JEA deductions amounts will go into effect again in September and remain
- > through August.
- >
- > In essence, we have until September's paycheck (generally a week prior) to get
- > this information to Bev and confirm that what members will be having deducted
- > matches up with ISEA is charging our local.
- >
- > Let me know how Brad and I can help if needed. Apologies on not being able to
- > confirm this info with certainty yesterday when we were visiting. Thanks!
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**From:** <Peri.VanTassel@isea.org>  
**To:** <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Cc:** <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 9:33 AM  
**Subject:** RE: direct deposit for school year employees  
Thanks - it sounds like a big mess.

Peri

Peri Van Tassel  
UniServ Director  
Polk Suburban UniServ Unit  
777 Third Street, Suite 114  
Des Moines, IA 50309-1314  
515.471.8061

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Brad Hurst [mailto:brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us]  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 9:18 AM  
**To:** VanTassel, Peri [IA]  
**Cc:** Carson Hattel  
**Subject:** FW: direct deposit for school year employees

Peri,

FYI on the Wire Transfer Issue and Resolution from Friday.

Brad

[cid:3396849452\_605207]

BRAD A. HURST JR.

JEA Co-President

Chemistry and Environmental Science Teacher Johnston Senior High School  
Johnston, IA

----- Forwarded Message

**From:** Beverly Lyons <blyons@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Date:** Mon, 22 Aug 2011 07:44:23 -0500  
**To:** \*All Staff <AllStaff@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Subject:** direct deposit for school year employees

Our bank was able to send out all wires on Friday; unfortunately, by the time some of the wires were sent, some banks had quit pulling wires in (one bank stopped pulling wires in at 2:00 p.m.). Those wires that didn't make it on Friday will be pulled into your accounts this morning

- again, depends on what time your bank starts pulling wires into accounts.

Some banks charge fees to pull wires, if you were charged a fee for the wire or had NSF fees charged to your account, get me a copy of your bank statement/screen shot showing the charges, and we will reimburse you for the charges. Please "black-out" your account number or any other personal information before you send it over to me.

Thanks to all of you for the understanding calls/emails on this "payroll nightmare". Can't tell you how much your patience and understanding has helped! Please be assured this was a one-time problem and next month's direct deposit will be just fine. If something still doesn't look quite right on your account, please get a hold of me ASAP and we will get it figured out.

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----- End of Forwarded Message

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**From:** <Peri.VanTassel@isea.org>  
**To:** <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Cc:** <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 7:02 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Email for PR

Some of the email addresses are not underlined - I don't know if that makes a difference or not. In the wording below, I would just say, "If there is any way that JEA may be of help, please let us know."

Thanks,

Peri

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**From:** Carson Hattel [mailto:chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us]  
**Sent:** Mon 8/22/2011 7:00 PM  
**To:** Carson Hattel  
**Cc:** Brad Hurst; VanTassel, Peri [IA]  
**Subject:** Email for PR

Below is a tentative message to send out with release. Any suggestions on someone else to include?

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We are sending this to you for your information. If there is any way that JEA may be helpful in your district building, please let us know. Thanks for all that you do for our community.

Bruce A.

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Jim C.

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[PSD@nvemaster.com](mailto:PSD@nvemaster.com)

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**From:** <Peri.VanTassel@isea.org>  
**To:** <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 9:00 AM  
**Subject:** RE: Jackie Sapp  
We do not have her listed as a member.

Thanks,

Peri

Peri Van Tassel  
UniServ Director  
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-----Original Message-----

**From:** Brad Hurst [mailto:brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us]  
**Sent:** Friday, August 19, 2011 9:49 PM  
**To:** Jackie Sunde; Michelle Holtkamp  
**Cc:** VanTassel, Peri [IA]  
**Subject:** Jackie Sapp

Can you guys check and see if Jackie Sapp at the High School is a JEA Member? She is asking to join the JEA Facebook page, but I have no record of her being a JEA Member.

Brad

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**From:** <Peri.VanTassel@isea.org>  
**To:** <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 8:58 AM  
**Attach:** ATT00010.htm; image001.png  
**Subject:** RE: Thoughts by 12 pm

I think this would be fine - a public service of JEA. I assume you found a camera.

Thanks,

Peri Van Tassel

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**From:** Carson Hattel [mailto:chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us]  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 7:32 AM  
**To:** Carson Hattel; Jackie Sunde; Mary Moermond; Craig Kruger; Hillary Barta; Kerry Loge; Cindy Sonner; Olga Kline; Candi Patras; Barb Allen; Richard Brooks; Don Miller; Brad Hurst; Julie Walk; Maribeth Miller; Jake Randall; Michelle Holtkamp  
**Cc:** VanTassel, Peri [IA]  
**Subject:** Thoughts by 12 pm

Team:

Brad and I are seeking your opinions on making the candidate forum open to the public for viewing, as in the community and non-JEA members. Please provide us your thoughts so that we may take them into consideration before acting. Please reply to either me or Brad. Thanks.

Carson Hattel and Brad Hurst

JEA Co-Presidents



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**From:** <Peri.VanTassel@isea.org>  
**To:** <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 10:24 AM  
**Attach:** ATT00010.htm  
**Subject:** RE: Press Release

I don't have a form, but I have put in a request to Jean Hessburg, our media/PR specialist.

Thanks,

Peri

Peri Van Tassel

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777 Third Street, Suite 114

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**From:** Carson Hattel [mailto:chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us]  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 9:44 AM  
**To:** VanTassel, Peri [IA]  
**Subject:** Press Release

Is there a form/layout that you could send to me for JEA purposes?

Carson Hattel

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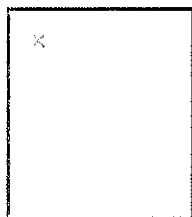
**From:** "Brad A. Hurst Jr." <notification+i=lgz==f@facebookmail.com>  
**To:** "Johnston Education Association (JEA)" <JohnstonEA@groups.facebook.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 23, 2011 7:52 PM  
**Subject:** [Johnston Education Association (JEA)] New link

[Brad A. Hurst Jr. posted in Johnston Education Association \(JEA\).](#)



Brad A. Hurst Jr.

7:52pm Aug 23



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**From:** "Brad Hurst" <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 23, 2011 12:18 PM  
**Subject:** FW: Thought  
FYI: Erzen Article about School Board Forum  
<http://blogs.desmoinesregister.com/dmr/index.php/2011/08/23/watch-video-of-johnston-school-board-candidates-discussing-issues/>

----- Forwarded Message

**From:** Carson Hattel <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Date:** Tue, 23 Aug 2011 12:14:08 -0500  
**To:** Brad Hurst <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Subject:** Thought

Now that we have things going strong, at least seems like we do, I think we should lay low for a while and see how these things start to play out in general. We have a lot of things moving in the right direction for us. Just a thought, totally open for discussion on it.

I am planning on going through the membership list and breaking down by buildings which members are not on site yet so our building reps can visit with them. Good member PR thing for us.

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**From:** "Brad Hurst" <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 23, 2011 12:20 PM  
**Subject:** Erzen DSM Register Article

FYI-

<http://blogs.desmoinesregister.com/dmr/index.php/2011/08/23/watch-video-of-johnston-school-board-candidates-discussing-issues/>

Brad



***BRAD A. HURST JR.***

JEA Co-President

Chemistry and Environmental Science Teacher

Johnston Senior High School

Johnston, IA

**From:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Brad Hurst" <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 23, 2011 12:19 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Thought  
 Checkmate..... ☺

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**From:** Brad Hurst  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 23, 2011 12:18 PM  
**To:** Carson Hattel  
**Subject:** FW: Thought

FYI: Erzen Article about School Board Forum  
<http://blogs.desmoinesregister.com/dmr/index.php/2011/08/23/watch-video-of-johnston-school-board-candidates-discussing-issues/>

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**From:** Carson Hattel <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Date:** Tue, 23 Aug 2011 12:14:08 -0500  
**To:** Brad Hurst <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Subject:** Thought

Now that we have things going strong, at least seems like we do, I think we should lay low for a while and see how these things start to play out in general. We have a lot of things moving in the right direction for us. Just a thought, totally open for discussion on it.

I am planning on going through the membership list and breaking down by buildings which members are not on site yet so our building reps can visit with them. Good member PR thing for us.

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**From:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Hillary Barta" <hillary.barta@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Brad Hurst" <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 23, 2011 10:15 PM  
**Subject:** Question  
Hillary:

Hope all is well! Would it be possible for you to go through who is registered for the JEA Site and remove those registered from an attached form? Brad and I would use this information to send on to building reps on who in their building is not yet signed up and an opportunity for JEA to touch base with our members. Let me know and I can send your way. Thanks!

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**From:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Brandon Kleve" <bkleve@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 23, 2011 10:00 PM  
**Subject:** JEA Website

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From: "Suzie Pearson" <spearson@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
To: "Carson Hattel" <carson@johnstoneducationassociation.com>; "Brad Hurst" <brad@johnstoneducationassociation.com>  
Sent: Tuesday, August 23, 2011 7:25 PM  
Subject: Re: Email from C. Hattel and B. Hurst- JEA

Thanks so much for providing this opportunity. I thought the forum was very enlightening and appreciate that others will have the opportunity to view the candidates.

Suzie Pearson  
Principal

On 8/22/11 10:25 PM, "Carson Hattel" <carson@johnstoneducationassociation.com> wrote:

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Carson Hattel and Brad Hurst  
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**From:** "Clay Guthmiller" <cguthmiller@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Dawn Kasotia" <dawn.kasotia@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Nancy Buryanek" <nburyanek@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 23, 2011 8:37 AM  
**Attach:** 082211 JEA Press Release.pdf  
**Subject:** FW: Email from C. Hattel and B. Hurst- JEA

**From:** Carson Hattel [mailto:carson@johnstoneducationassociation.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 10:25 PM  
**To:** Carson Hattel; Brad Hurst  
**Subject:** Email from C. Hattel and B. Hurst- JEA

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**From:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "LeAnn Ludwig" <LeAnn.Ludwig@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 23, 2011 7:38 AM  
**Subject:** JEA Site

Here is what I have:

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LeAnn Ludwig  
lludwigiowa@msn.com  
Approved

Thanks!

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**From:** "Brad Hurst" <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 23, 2011 12:10 PM  
**Subject:** Re: Email from C. Hattel and B. Hurst- JEA  
Fine with me.

On 8/23/11 9:33 AM, "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us> wrote:

Thoughts on Dawn sending? I am fine with it.

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**From:** Dawn Kasotia  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 23, 2011 9:23 AM  
**To:** Carson Hattel; Brad Hurst  
**Subject:** RE: Email from C. Hattel and B. Hurst- JEA

I guess I should have verified first. Was this already given out to all staff or would you like me to send it to all staff?

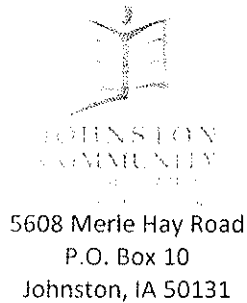
Thanks,  
Dawn

**From:** Dawn Kasotia  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 23, 2011 9:18 AM  
**To:** Carson Hattel; Brad Hurst  
**Subject:** FW: Email from C. Hattel and B. Hurst- JEA

This is great. I wanted to attend the forum, but I was preparing for my son's birthday party.

I will forward this press release to the local newspapers.

In the future, please include me when you send the press release to district staff. Thanks!



Dawn Kasotia

[www.johnston.k12.ia.us](http://www.johnston.k12.ia.us) - <http://www.johnston.k12.ia.us/>

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Please, send me news, photos & videos

of school activities at [news@johnston.k12.ia.us](mailto:news@johnston.k12.ia.us) - <mailto:news@johnston.k12.ia.us> .

**Online publications about the district:**

District Web site - <http://www.johnston.k12.ia.us/>

District newsletters

- <http://www.johnston.k12.ia.us/communications/theconnection> -> Annual progress report

- <http://www.johnston.k12.ia.us/districtinformation/annualprogressreport.html> ->

Photo album - <http://picasaweb.google.com/johnstonesd> ->

District calendar - <http://www.johnston.k12.ia.us/calendars/jcsd/index.html> -> Johnston Register

<http://www.desmoinesregister.com/apps/pbcs.dll/section?category=COMM08> -> (Published by The Des Moines Register)

Johnston Living Magazine - <http://iowalivingmagazines.com/johnston> -> (Published by Big Green Umbrella Media)

**From:** Clay Guthmiller

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 23, 2011 8:37 AM

**To:** Dawn Kasotia; Nancy Buryanek

**Subject:** FW: Email from C. Hattel and B. Hurst- JEA

**From:** Carson Hattel [<mailto:carson@johnstoneducationassociation.com>]  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 10:25 PM  
**To:** Carson Hattel; Brad Hurst  
**Subject:** Email from C. Hattel and B. Hurst- JEA

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Carson Hattel and Brad Hurst  
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**From:** "Dawn Kasotia" <dawn.kasotia@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Clay Guthmiller" <cguthmiller@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 23, 2011 2:42 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Email from C. Hattel and B. Hurst- JEA

Carson and Brad would like this to be sent to all staff. Is it ok with you if I do that by email or should I only put it in the next staff newsletter, which is the September issue?

Thanks,  
Dawn


**From:** Clay Guthmiller  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 23, 2011 8:37 AM  
**To:** Dawn Kasotia; Nancy Buryanek  
**Subject:** FW: Email from C. Hattel and B. Hurst- JEA

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**From:** Carson Hattel [mailto:carson@johnstoneducationassociation.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 10:25 PM  
**To:** Carson Hattel; Brad Hurst  
**Subject:** Email from C. Hattel and B. Hurst- JEA

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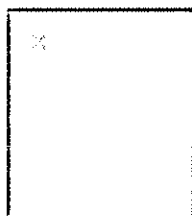


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**From:** "Brad A. Hurst Jr." <notification+i=lgz==f@facebookmail.com>  
**To:** "Johnston Education Association (JEA)" <JohnstonEA@groups.facebook.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 24, 2011 5:31 AM  
**Subject:** [Johnston Education Association (JEA)] Facebook Page for Lisa Larson - Interesting to...

Brad A. Hurst Jr. posted in Johnston Education Association (JEA).

< Back      Brad A. Hurst Jr.      Fri 24 Aug '11  
Facebook Page for Lisa Larson - Interesting to see who has commented on this.  
for



Lisa Larson for Johnston School BoardI am running in the Johnston, IA school board election and utilizing this page to communicate with f

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**From:** "Hillary Barta" <hillary.barta@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Brad Hurst" <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 24, 2011 8:22 PM  
**Attach:** JEA Members Not Registered for Website.xls  
**Subject:** RE: Question

I have attached a list of members who haven't signed up for the website yet. If there is another format you would like me to put it in, just let me know!

Hillary

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**From:** Carson Hattel  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 23, 2011 10:15 PM  
**To:** Hillary Barta; Brad Hurst  
**Subject:** Question

Hillary:

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**From:** "Brad Hurst" <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 1:58 PM  
**Subject:** FYI - DSM Register Article  
<http://www.desmoinesregister.com/article/20110824/COMM/308240083/70-attend-Johnston-school-board-forum?odyssey=tab|topnews|text|Johnston&community=Johnston>

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**From:** "Brad Hurst" <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 2:47 PM  
**Subject:** Re: Member Outreach

How many email addresses do we get for our website? I thought it may be good to have the names of many of the key exec members at

[http://www.johnstoneducationassociation.com/leadership\\_team.html](http://www.johnstoneducationassociation.com/leadership_team.html) as links to email them.

Thoughts?

On 8/25/11 1:21 PM, "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us> wrote:

Yes, call me.

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**From:** Brad Hurst  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 1:20 PM  
**To:** Carson Hattel  
**Subject:** Re: Member Outreach

Well Done – I actually have to cover Jacobson's Study Hall during 8th period today. Is there any way we can talk after school or later tonight? I also have another issue to talk to you about relating to Hennes.

Thanks,

Brad

On 8/25/11 12:32 PM, "Carson Hattel" <[chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us](mailto:chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us)> wrote:  
Building Reps and Leadership Team:

Attached you will find a list of our members in your buildings that have not signed up for the JEA Website yet. If you could touch base with these members to encourage them to sign up for the website, we will accomplish greater use of the site and more importantly, an opportunity to have JEA visit specifically with them. Benefits of accessing the site include school board minutes, school board election information regarding the candidates, JEA Executive Board minutes, and many more. If you could do this within the next two weeks, it would be appreciated. Thanks!

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**From:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** <yolanda\_christensen@yahoo.com>; "Maria Bartemes" <maria.bartemes@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Cc:** "Brad Hurst" <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 2:36 PM  
**Subject:** JEA Website

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**To:** <yolanda\_christensen@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 2:37 PM  
**Subject:** JEA Site  
Yolanda:

Sorry; I was working my way through the names that have requested access and see you have already done so; thanks.

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**From:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** <yolanda\_christensen@yahoo.com>; "Maria Bartemes" <maria.bartemes@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Cc:** "Brad Hurst" <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 2:36 PM  
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**From:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Dawn Kasotia" <dawn.kasotia@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Brad Hurst" <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 8:31 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Watch video of Johnston school board candidates discussing issues  
Thanks Dawn!

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**From:** Dawn Kasotia  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 4:55 PM  
**To:** Carson Hattel; Brad Hurst  
**Subject:** FW: Watch video of Johnston school board candidates discussing issues

Hi Carson and Brad,

I just heard your voicemail. I believe that on Monday I forwarded this info to the local print publications like The Bull's Eye, Johnston Register and Johnston Living magazine.

I saw that it was already published in the Johnston Register online. You can see it at the link below.

Thanks,  
Dawn

**From:** Dawn Kasotia  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 10:12 AM  
**To:** Dawn Kasotia  
**Subject:** Watch video of Johnston school board candidates discussing issues

<http://blogs.desmoinesregister.com/dmr/index.php/2011/08/23/watch-video-of-johnston-school->

[board-candidates-discussing-issues/](#)

Video of the entire Johnston school board candidate forum held on Aug. 20 can be found, courtesy of the Johnston Education Association, at [www.johnstoneducationassociation.com](http://www.johnstoneducationassociation.com).

Click on “candidate forum” anytime before 7:30 a.m. or after 3:30 p.m.

The Johnston Education Association, or JEA, is the professional organization representing teachers, nurses and counselors in the Johnston school district.

Read more about the school board forum in the Aug. 26 Johnston Register, and find biographies for all seven Johnston school board candidates as well as their positions on academics, facilities and audit-related issues in the Aug. 30 Johnston Register.

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**From:** "Carson Hattel" <carson@johnstoneducationassociation.com>  
**To:** "Jill Morrill" <jill.morrill@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Cc:** "Brad Hurst" <brad@johnstoneducationassociation.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 9:26 PM  
**Subject:** Re: Email from C. Hattel and B. Hurst- JEA  
Jill:

Thanks for the information. I had sent an email to Julie requesting this information but as of today had not heard back. We would like to post this information for our members. The only thing that we received from Julie were the questions that all candidates received pertaining to order of answering. Thanks.

Carson and Brad

On Thu, Aug 25, 2011 at 3:51 PM, Jill Morrill <jill.morrill@johnston.k12.ia.us> wrote:  
Carson and Brad,

Thank you for this information. Mrs. Heiser forwarded me the questions that were asked from the audience at the candidate forum with the request to forward them on to the other candidates and board members no later than Monday.

I didn't know if you had received these answers. If not, I would be happy to forward them to you if you think that they would be of interest to your members.

Regards,


Jill Morrill

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From: Carson Hattel [carson@johnstoneducationassociation.com]  
Sent: Monday, August 22, 2011 10:25 PM  
To: Carson Hattel; Brad Hurst  
Subject: Email from C. Hattel and B. Hurst- JEA

We are sending this to you for your information. If there is any way that JEA may be of help, please let us know. Thanks for all that you do for our community.

Carson Hattel and Brad Hurst  
JEA Co-Presidents



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**From:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Brad Hurst" <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 7:27 AM  
**Subject:** RE: JEA Site and Members  
**DRAFT:**

Building Reps and Leadership Team:

Attached you will find a list of our members in your buildings that have not signed up for the JEA Website yet. If you could touch base with these members to encourage them to sign up for the website, we will accomplish greater use of the site and more importantly, an opportunity to have JEA visit specifically with them. If you could do this within the next two weeks, it would be appreciated. Thanks!

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-----Original Message-----

**From:** Brad Hurst  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 6:31 AM  
**To:** Carson Hattel  
**Subject:** Re: JEA Site and Members

I think that it is a good idea to do this. If you can get something started, I can read and offer feedback. I probably won't have much time to do that until my lunch at noon today though.

Brad

On 8/25/11 6:08 AM, "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us> wrote:

> Brad:  
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> Attached are those members not enrolled in webiste. Thoughts on sending out  
> attachment to building representatives asking them to reach out to these  
> members to ask about signing up for site? If you feel good with it, we can  
> start craft an email/directions for them to share w/ these members. Thanks.  
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**From:** "Dawn Kasotia" <dawn.kasotia@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 1:13 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Candidate Forum Available on JEA Website  
You're welcome.

**From:** Carson Hattel  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 1:11 PM  
**To:** Dawn Kasotia  
**Cc:** Brad Hurst  
**Subject:** RE: Candidate Forum Available on JEA Website

Awesome; thanks.

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**From:** Dawn Kasotia  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 12:41 PM  
**To:** Carson Hattel  
**Subject:** RE: Candidate Forum Available on JEA Website

Hi Carson,

When I was preparing the email to send to all staff I thought that the PDF version wouldn't keep the original elements when I did a copy and paste into my email, but it turned out that it worked. I have successfully copied and pasted from a Word document to an email, so that's why I was asking for it.

Thanks,  
Dawn

**From:** Carson Hattel  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 12:15 PM  
**To:** Dawn Kasotia

**Subject:** RE: Candidate Forum Available on JEA Website

Attached; thanks. Is this just for reference or why do you need it? Thanks Dawn!

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**From:** Dawn Kasotia  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 23, 2011 2:42 PM  
**To:** Carson Hattel  
**Subject:** Candidate Forum Available on JEA Website

Could I get the original Word version of this press release, please?

Thanks!  
Dawn

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**From:** Carson Hattel [mailto:carson@johnstoneducationassociation.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, August 22, 2011 10:25 PM  
**To:** Carson Hattel; Brad Hurst  
**Subject:** Email from C. Hattel and B. Hurst- JEA

We are sending this to you for your information. If there is any way that JEA may be of help, please let us know. Thanks for all that you do for our community.

Carson Hattel and Brad Hurst  
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**From:** "Brad Hurst" <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 7:31 AM  
**Subject:** Re: JEA Site and Members

You might want to mention to them the list of things members can view on the site and the benefit of registering for the site to view this content and to share this with non-registered JEA Members.

On 8/25/11 7:27 AM, "Carson Hattel" <[chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us](mailto:chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us)> wrote:

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**From:** "Brad Hurst" <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 9:58 AM  
**Subject:** Re: Draft 2  
Looks great! Thanks!

Brad

On 8/25/11 9:56 AM, "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us> wrote:

DRAFT:

Building Reps and Leadership Team:

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**From:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Jackie Sunde" <jsunde@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Mary Moermond" <mmoermond@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Craig Kruger" <ckruger@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Hillary Barta" <hillary.barta@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Kerry Loge" <kloge@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Cindy Sonner" <Cindy.Sonner@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Olga Kline" <okline@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Candi Patras" <cpatras@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Barb Allen" <ballen@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Richard Brooks" <rbrooks@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Don Miller" <dmiller@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Brad Hurst" <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Julie Walk" <jwalk@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Maribeth Miller" <mmiller@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Jake Randall" <jrandall@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Michelle Holtkamp" <michelle.holtkamp@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Cc:** <pvantassel@isea.org>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 25, 2011 12:32 PM  
**Attach:** JEA Members Not Registered for Website.pdf  
**Subject:** Member Outreach  
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**From:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Dalene Craig" <dcraig@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 1:59 PM  
**Subject:** JEA Website

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**From:** "Hillary Barta" <hillary.barta@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 8:12 AM  
**Subject:** Re: JEA Site

I think that is a great idea. I can work on that this weekend. What are your email addresses for jea.com? Are they just your first names @johnstoneducationassociation.com? Thanks!  
Hillary

On 8/26/11 4:55 AM, "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us> wrote:

> Hillary:  
>  
> Brad and I were thinking that it would be great for us to get peoples' names  
> linked with an email address (similar to what we have on the contact portion).  
> If you could, here is what we were thinking.  
>  
> -For you, Brad, Don and I have it linked to our emails through  
> johnstoneducationassociation.com  
>  
> -For everyone else on the Leadership Team, linking their names to their school  
> email.  
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> Let me know your thoughts, thanks for all of your help!  
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**From:** "Kerry Loge" <kloge@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Susan Adair" <sadair@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Melissa Bartecki" <Melissa.Bartecki@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Wendi Canada" <wendi.canada@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Dawn Carico" <Dawn.Carico@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Monica Collins" <mcollins@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Sherrie Cooper" <scooper@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Dalene Craig" <dcraig@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Juli Dodd" <juli.dodd@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Crista Grant" <Crista.Grant@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Krista Sackett" <ksackett@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Kristin Merkle" <kristin.merkle@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Jennifer Ransom" <jennifer.ransom@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Michael Siegner" <michael.siegner@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Kenzie Weitl" <kenzie.weitl@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Deborah Westergaard" <dwestergaard@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Amy Witt" <awitt@johnston.k12.ia.us>

**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 7:36 AM

**Subject:** Please sign up for JEA website

Please sign up to use the JEA website. This will be used to communicate important information to you through the association.

Here is the link. Remember you have to be approved to become a member of this group so when you sign up you will not get access until Carson approves you as a member. That may take a day or two.

<http://www.johnstoneducationassociation.com/>

I will be sending out reminders again in a couple of weeks to people that have not signed up yet.

Thanks you,

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**From:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Peggy Wolfe" <pwolfe@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 7:52 AM  
**Subject:** JEA Website

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**From:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Kristin Merkle" <kristin.merkle@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 7:51 AM  
**Subject:** JEA Website

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**To:** "Alicia Hyde" <ahyde@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Amy Brinker" <abrinker@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Amy Ryan" <amy.ryan@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Andrea McEnroe" <amcenroe@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Angie Butler" <angie.butler@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Anne Eckermann" <aeckermann@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Anne Smith" <anne.smith@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Christy Willis" <cwillis@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Cindy Rash" <crash@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Dan Loy" <dloy@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Diane Rosene" <drosene@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Emily Kellenberger" <emily.kellenburger@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Hillary Barta" <hillary.barta@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Jennifer Emblen" <jennifer.emblen@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Jessica Miller" <Jessica.Miller@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Jessie Johnson" <jessie.johnson@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Jill Herrera" <jherrera@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Josh Shaver" <josh.shaver@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Kate Gee" <kate.gee@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Kate McCombs" <kate.mccombs@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Kathy Foster" <kfoster@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Linda Kohlhaas" <lkohlhaas@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Mary Strandemo" <mstrandemo@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Michelle McDonald" <mimcdonald@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Nicole Artist" <nicole.artist@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Pat Rodda" <prodda@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Sheri Johnson" <Sheri.Johnson@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Tracy Hughes" <tracy.hughes@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Wendy Vanderport" <wvanderport@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 8:19 AM  
**Subject:** Yellow Forms

Hi everyone! This is just a reminder to put those yellow membership summary forms in my mailbox by the end of the day if there is any information that needs to be changed. Also, if you haven't signed up yet for the JEA website, please do. The url is <http://www.johnstoneducationassociation.com>. You will need to sign up using a non-school email address, and your approval won't be automatic (we have to go through and make sure those signing up are actually JEA members). Let me know if you have any questions. Have a great weekend!

Hillary



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**From:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Hillary Barta" <hillary.barta@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 8:34 AM  
**Subject:** RE: JEA Site  
[don@johnstoneducationassociation.com](mailto:don@johnstoneducationassociation.com)  
[hillary@johnstoneducationassociation.com](mailto:hillary@johnstoneducationassociation.com)  
[brad@johnstoneducationassociation.com](mailto:brad@johnstoneducationassociation.com)  
[carson@johnstoneducationassociation.com](mailto:carson@johnstoneducationassociation.com)

I already have these set for the contact page. All else on leadership team put their school emails.  
Thanks!

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-----Original Message-----

From: Hillary Barta  
Sent: Friday, August 26, 2011 8:12 AM  
To: Carson Hattel  
Subject: Re: JEA Site

I think that is a great idea. I can work on that this weekend. What are your email addresses for jea.com? Are they just your first names @johnstoneducationassociation.com? Thanks!  
Hillary

On 8/26/11 4:55 AM, "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us> wrote:

> Hillary:  
>

- > Brad and I were thinking that it would be great for us to get peoples' names
- > linked with an email address (similar to what we have on the contact portion).
- > If you could, here is what we were thinking.
- >
- > -For you, Brad, Don and I have it linked to our emails through
- > [johnstoneducationassociation.com](mailto:johnstoneducationassociation.com)
- >
- > -For everyone else on the Leadership Team, linking their names to their school
- > email.
- >
- > Let me know your thoughts, thanks for all of your help!
- >
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**From:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Kenzie Weitzl" <kenzie.weitzl@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Deborah Westergaard" <dwestergaard@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 9:28 AM  
**Subject:** JEA Website

If you could, please re-enroll with a non-district email. This is due to email notifications and critical information to be sent out in the future and we need to stay away from district utilized services.

Thanks!

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**From:** <Peri.VanTassel@isea.org>  
**To:** <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 11:14 AM  
**Subject:** RE: School Board Forum video

I think it is ISEA's system as I was able to access it at home. I will watch this weekend.

Thanks,

Peri

Peri Van Tassel  
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-----Original Message-----

From: Carson Hattel [mailto:chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us]  
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2011 8:30 PM  
To: VanTassel, Peri [IA]  
Subject: RE: School Board Forum video

It may be your browser settings. If you are able to use Google Chrome, it works best with that browser. I just tried it and it works. Keep me posted; thanks!

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Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2011 3:43 PM  
To: Brad Hurst; Carson Hattel

Subject: School Board Forum video

Hi! I am trying to watch the video. When I click on the link on the JEA website, it takes me to the UStream and loads, but no video comes up. Is there something else I need to do?

Thanks,

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**Cc:** "Brad Hurst" <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>; "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 29, 2011 2:05 PM  
**Attach:** Candidate Questions.pdf; 082211 JEA Press Release.pdf  
**Subject:** RE: School Board election

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**To:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 29, 2011 8:59 PM  
**Subject:** RE: School Board election  
Sounds Good. More communication is better right now.

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From: Carson Hattel  
Sent: Monday, August 29, 2011 7:28 PM  
To: Brad Hurst  
Subject: RE: School Board election

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Brad

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**Cc:** <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 29, 2011 2:29 PM  
**Subject:** RE: School Board election

I appreciate the information and will pass the link along to interested parties.

Thank you-

MP

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Thoughts on what Hillary can be adding to our JEA site?

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**Attach:** JCSD Harassment Policy.pdf; Info from 2010-11 School Board Member Handbook.pdf  
**Subject:** Info for SB issue

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**Sent:** Tuesday, August 30, 2011 2:17 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Info for SB issue

Thanks Peri; sounds great. Let us know either way what he/you suggest. Thanks!

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**Subject:** [Johnston Education Association (JEA)]  
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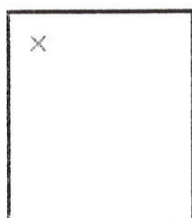
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4:26am Aug 30

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**To:** "Johnston Education Association (JEA)" <JohnstonEA@groups.facebook.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 30, 2011 6:58 PM  
**Subject:** [Johnston Education Association (JEA)] For what it's worth: John Dutcher, Jackie Heiser,...

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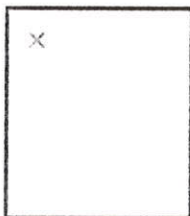
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**To:** <Peri.VanTassel@isea.org>; "Brad Hurst" <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 31, 2011 10:11 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Thoughts from Brad Hudson  
 Peri:

Thanks for all of your insight and guidance. Through communication with the staff member and further reflection- Brad and I are planning on leaving this one alone. We'll live to fight another day.

Thanks!

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**Subject:** Thoughts from Brad Hudson

Brad just called. Now he and I do not know the whole story; you both talked with the teacher. Brad is reading between the lines and wonders if the school board member knows the teacher at Horizon – are they neighbors? Why would a perfect stranger accost someone in their yard? He thinks the best way to deal with this is for the teacher to ask the school board member for an apology. If she is uncomfortable doing that, he suggested one of you writing the school board member a letter asking for an apology. Since the school board member is not up for re-election, he did not feel it would do any good to blow things up at a school board meeting. As for the press release, I don't know if releasing it would raise more questions than give answers. You two and Hillary could really be inundated with questions if this is released. Is the teacher ok with a press release? One of the first rules when dealing with a member is to find out what he/she wants. What does this teacher want? Does she want an apology, a pound of flesh, public humiliation or just she just want to keep quiet and let things die down? The answer to that



question may help you decide about the press release.

I will be in the office from 10:30 to 4 tomorrow if you want to call.

Please let me know what you decide to do.

Thanks,

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**To:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>; <Peri.VanTassel@isea.org>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 31, 2011 4:25 PM  
**Subject:** Re: Question

I feel like we should release this as soon as possible. We just need to be ready to go with our PR approach with any follow up inquiries we get from releasing it. We may also want to make sure our Exec is on the same page with Carson and Hillary being the sole voice for comment from JEA on this one.

Brad

On 8/31/11 4:19 PM, "Carson Hattel" <[chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us](mailto:chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us)> wrote:

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**To:** Carson Hattel; Brad Hurst  
**Subject:** RE: Question

Nothing yet – I will email him again.

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**Sent:** Wednesday, August 31, 2011 3:26 PM  
**To:** VanTassel, Peri [IA]; Brad Hurst  
**Subject:** Question

Peri:

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**To:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 31, 2011 3:55 PM  
**Subject:** Re: JEA website  
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> To: Carson Hattel

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> [REDACTED] ( just leave off the spellman at the beginning) Shoot me

> an email when the new one is replaced. Thanks, again. I'm really looking

> forward to being in the know since I do not use Facebook. Kassie

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>> To: Carson Hattel  
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Awesome. If you happen to think of it, ask the following people to sign up too. Thanks!

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Boeding Aimee LAWSON  
Canova Dawn LAWSON  
Carpenter Rhonda LAWSON  
Costello Marjorie LAWSON  
Drake Heidi LAWSON  
Featherston Sarah LAWSON  
Harris Toot Stephanie LAWSON  
Kirschenman Linda LAWSON  
Kirwan Amanda LAWSON  
Kroeger Diane LAWSON  
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**Sent:** Wednesday, August 31, 2011 12:18 PM  
**Subject:** DMR - Article: Chat with Johnston school board candidates  
FYI for next Wednesday after our JEA Exec Meeting:

<http://blogs.desmoinesregister.com/dmr/index.php/2011/08/31/chat-with-johnston-school-board-candidates/>



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**Carson Hattel**

6:14am Aug 31

Also for what it's worth, candidates are having their campaign signs stolen from around town and in an effort to be proactive have had to contact Polk County offices filing papers saying that they are aware of various restrictions to elections. Go back to school board election two years ago with what happened to Eric Peterson with campaign signs showing up at polling places and accusations being made.

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**Sent:** Thursday, September 01, 2011 9:39 AM  
**Subject:** question

Did you see the "Bull's Eye" paper (the Northwest Polk County's Newspaper) that Johnston, Grimes, Polk City get? The Aug. 31<sup>st</sup> addition had several articles about the school board election. It had an article on Lisa Larson, Jim Gorsche, Tracey Orman.....AND a letter to the editor from Dutcher in which he says that all the school board challengers will be stronger board members than the three incumbents seeking re-election.

I wasn't sure if you had seen it....or were curious about it on posting it on any information page. I have a hard copy of the article if you want to see it. Or, if you've seen it, then sorry for taking up your time! I had Jacobson in here reading it this morning! HA!

Danielle

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I think that is a wise decision. I don't know about you both, but I will be glad when the election is over.

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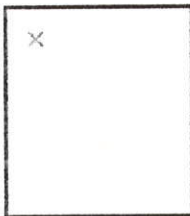
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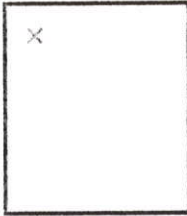
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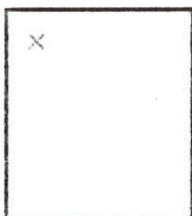
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Letter: Parents demand excellence, board should, too  
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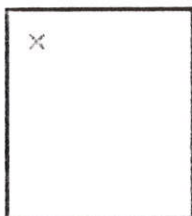
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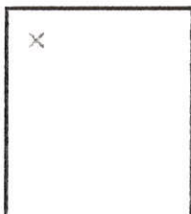
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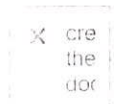
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**Brad A. Hurst Jr.** created the doc: "What John Dutcher Wrote in the comments section of the article below:"

Since the Johnston Education Association and the administration are leaning hard on their members, faculty and staff to not blog (yes, we still are able to intercept some communications) and to keep as quiet about the race as possible (outside of their password-protected e-mail missives) ... I'll inject a little information and opinion into the discussion to fill the void and explain some things to the community at large.

The Teacher's Union (JEA) and the administration are strongly endorsing -- if not requiring -- faculty and staff to tow the line for a ticket they are endorsing comprised of two incumbents (Jill Morrill and Mike Farrell) and two challengers (Greg Dockum and Deb Henry). If you see a house with their signs lined up like firewood, chances are a teacher or district employee lives there, or some other beneficiary... of the district's financial largess. If you read the signatures of many of the letters' signatories, you'll find that nearly all of them are district employees (or their spouses).

Why is the union pushing the ticket it is? Since the union will not speak outside of its password protected Facebook fortress, and administrators do not want to appear as self-serving as they are, I'll go ahead and spill the beans: As with most union-related endorsements (even though this one is not "public") there are "strings attached ... They are promising that "their slate" will put a student on the board (without even exploring the complexities of the Iowa Code this would entail). They are promising that their slate will protect administrator's \$12 per year (all you care to eat) family healthcare plan. They are promising that their slate can eliminate 100 percent bussing so that transportation would only be provided to those students who live outside the mandated two-mile zones required by Iowa Code. (This -- they argue -- frees up budget money to further fund a non-sustainable "Cadillac" healthcare plan for district employees, the increase costs of which last year alone eclipsed our entire annual transportation budget.) They understand that the board will soon be in receipt of the State Auditor's re-audit report of district finances (focused on individual and collectively bargained employment contracts) and will be faced with making policy and probably personnel changes as a result of its findings. Many of the initial findings filed in the request for re-audit outlined a dereliction of fiduciary oversight on the part of Jill Morrill and Mike Farrell. Oh heavens, the prospect of John Dutcher on the board asking questions for two more years is bad enough! The prospect of having some of those questions yield answers that confirmed the validity of his concern, as well as a sitting board member's right to ask questions -- that would be just too much for them to bear!

In full transparency, I have openly endorsed the slate of Lisa Larson, Deb Henry, Jim Gorsche and Greg Dockum for the four open board seats. Why? Because I understand the gravity of the decisions the next board will make, and understand that we need the smartest people we can elect to fill those seats -- people whose

motivation is public service, people who can look at our districts needs both from a student and parent's perspective, as well as that of a global perspective. Board members who don't want to see this district fall still further behind its neighbors, let alone global competition. Electing a slate of directors that included Mike Farrell and Jill Morrill would ensure that the entrenched district culture of administrative and teachers' union self-enrichment at the expense of curriculum and materials will continue with devastating consequences for our students and their achievement.

This next board must be engaged in "the Big work" of the district's future (facilities, an aspirational vision, bringing our secondary curriculum into the 21st century to better prepare our students for success in college or to give them real world job-ready vocational skill sets, setting new school boundaries, and making our elementary curriculum offerings superior to those of others parents may be choosing.) ... Not the petty small issues, head nodding and seat warming that have marked what little actual engagement Jill Morrill and Mike Farrell have had during their tenure on the board.

It would be my wish that voters turn their attention to examining the actual backgrounds, qualifications and skill sets the four challengers -- Dockum, Henry, Gorsche and Larson -- will bring to board service vs. those of the incumbents. I'll be the first to admit that the challengers qualifications are in many ways far superior to mine. But that is what we want in this district, right? A board that is continually refreshed and served by more and more talented set of directors. People who "want" to be on the board to be servant leaders rather than people who "need" (emotionally or for business contacts) to be on the board as union and administrative "rubber stampers."

Please do as taxpayers take a hard look at the incumbents records and consider if you have been well served through their efforts. Do brace yourself for a rather unflattering report from the State Auditor on the role the incumbents and their predecessors played in spawning a culture of self enrichment and of ceding board power to administration, whereby they pretty much write and approve their own contracts.

If I am at the "center of this race" I hope it is because I have continually spoken the truth -- sometimes a hard truth -- when it was not easy or popular to do so. And because I have represented my entire constituency (which of course includes taxpayers, parents and the students we serve, as well as our staff -- but in no particular order of importance.) Those who aim to shoot the messenger seldom kill the message. They just kick the can and the problems it contains down the road.

It is time to face the truth Johnston. You don't have to love the messenger, just consider the message and please -- for the sake of our students -- learn all you can and make an informed decision on Sept. 13. A good place to start if you haven't already is by coming to the Johnston Public Library tomorrow night (Large conference room) from 6-8 p.m. and asking your questions directly to all of the candidates. I'll be there, too, and I'm happy to provide anyone who wants to know, as much insight into the realities of this race as they have the stomach to hear.

Be aware, if this race is to be a "referendum" on me, I like my odds.

John Dutcher

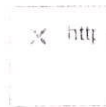
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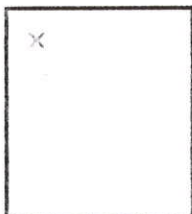
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**From:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Hillary Barta" <hillary.barta@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Cc:** "Brad Hurst" <brad.hurst@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 07, 2011 2:00 PM  
**Subject:** JEA Site

For login now, please use [REDACTED] same password. Thanks!

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**From:** <Peri.VanTassel@isea.org>  
**To:** <jsunde@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 09, 2011 12:51 PM  
**Subject:** RE: One more to add

Good afternoon! Thanks for the info. I am glad membership is up. You can send the changes to the contact information whenever you have it completed. You can put the changes on the continuous membership roster and mail it to us. You can keep the yellow/white sheets for your records.

Have a great weekend!

Peri

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-----Original Message-----

**From:** Jackie Sunde [mailto:jsunde@johnston.k12.ia.us]  
**Sent:** Friday, September 09, 2011 11:20 AM  
**To:** VanTassel, Peri [IA]  
**Subject:** FW: One more to add

Thought this might help. We have 318 current members. Last year 304 That 318 is with drops and people who left district. I have 3 new member forms I am send out today to you. Hope everything is current with you. When do I need to send all changes with address and ect.  
Thanks Jackie

----- Forwarded Message

**From:** Jake Randall <jrandall@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Date:** Fri, 9 Sep 2011 10:25:08 -0500  
**To:** Beverly Lyons <blyons@johnston.k12.ia.us>, Jackie Sunde <jsunde@johnston.k12.ia.us>, Michelle Holtkamp <michelle.holtkamp@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Subject:** Re: One more to add

Attached is an updated JEA deduction list. Mary Schermer is added and I have made changes to all names and alphabetized. Also, all employees ID numbers have been added.

Thanks  
Jake

On 9/9/11 9:54 AM, "Beverly Lyons" <blyons@johnston.k12.ia.us> wrote:

Jennifer Segebart is now Emblen; Alison Presley is now Alison Warren;

Emily Nymeyer is now Emily Kenny. thx

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From: Jackie Sunde  
Sent: Friday, September 09, 2011 7:06 AM  
To: Jake Randall; Beverly Lyons; Michelle Holtkamp  
Subject: FW: One more to add

Please add Mary Schermer to your JEA membership from Horizon. Dues will be \$697.00 Thanks Jackie

----- Forwarded Message

From: Kerry Loge <[kloge@johnston.k12.ia.us](mailto:kloge@johnston.k12.ia.us)>  
Date: Thu, 8 Sep 2011 15:46:10 -0500  
To: Jackie Sunde <[jsunde@johnston.k12.ia.us](mailto:jsunde@johnston.k12.ia.us)>  
Subject: One more to add

Mary Schermer is now a member paperwork on your way.

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**From:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**To:** "Hillary Barta" <hillary.barta@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Cc:** "Carson Hattel" <chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us>  
**Sent:** Sunday, September 11, 2011 10:39 PM  
**Attach:** Johnston 2011-12.pub  
**Subject:** RE: JEA Site

No worries, try pulling the information off of this (Microsoft Publisher document).

It's looking great; thanks!

I did put membership locks on the pages that needed to be so we're good to go. Thanks!

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**From:** Hillary Barta  
**Sent:** Sunday, September 11, 2011 7:12 PM  
**To:** Carson Hattel  
**Subject:** RE: JEA Site

Hi Carson. As I was working on the website, I made the mistake of deleting the entire JEA info. page! I was trying to consolidate the JEA Membership and JEA Info. pages, and ended up screwing up royally. Do you have a copy of what you typed up for that page. So sorry. I'm going to hang it up for the night, but I'll get back at it tomorrow.  
Hillary

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**From:** Carson Hattel  
**Sent:** Friday, September 09, 2011 8:32 AM  
**To:** Hillary Barta  
**Subject:** RE: JEA Site

Awesome; thanks. Go Hawks!

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-----Original Message-----

From: Hillary Barta  
 Sent: Friday, September 09, 2011 8:04 AM  
 To: Carson Hattel  
 Subject: Re: JEA Site

That sounds great, Carson. I appreciate your feedback, as this is so new to me! I will get working on that over the weekend...after the big game, of course. Have a great Friday!  
 Hillary

On 9/8/11 8:58 PM, "Carson Hattel" <[chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us](mailto:chattel@johnston.k12.ia.us)> wrote:

> Hillary:

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> Brad and I were talking about some ideas for the site and one of the things  
 > that we were thinking of was moving the Membership Information to a "tab" by  
 > itself, and then moving things like the newsletters, minutes for school board,  
 > minutes from Exec. and the candidate forum information into it. That way we  
 > are able to have more room for each as well as being able to add pages later  
 > too. What do you think? We are totally open to your ideas/thoughts for the  
 > site, we just want to keep things moving with it when able. Thanks Hillary!

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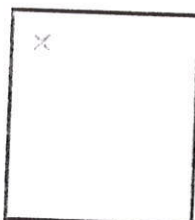
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